

**DEFENSE TO THE DEATH IS
APPEAL OF BOLSHIEVIKI TO
THE RUSSIAN INHABITANTS**

Republic Is in the Gravest Danger, Proclamation Sets Forth.

FIGHT FOR FATHERLAND

Is the Urgent Command to the Soldiers and Workmen Who Are Directed to Destroy All Stores and Make Every Effort to Impede Advance.

By Associated Press.
PETROGRAD, Thursday, Feb. 21, (Midnight).—A proclamation ordering resistance to the German advance, calling on all Russians to defend the fatherland and declaring Petrograd in state of siege, was issued tonight from the Smolny Institute, the Bolshevik headquarters. The proclamation was issued at the order of the people's commissaries and is signed by Premier Lenin and Ensign Kryukov, the Bolshevik commander-in-chief.

PEEAL ASKS SOLDIERS TO DESTROY RAILROADS.
LONDON, Feb. 22.—"Defense to the death" against Germany is ordered in the proclamation of the Russian commissaries. Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs: "The commissaries appeal to the soldiers to destroy railways and the provisions and compel the noblemen to dig trenches under penalty of death. The commissaries' appeal to the country also intimates that the Germans plan the capture of Petrograd."

"The German generals," it says, "intend to establish their own order in Petrograd and Kiev. The republic is the gravest danger. The duty of Russian workmen and peasants is defense to the death of the republic against the masses of noblemen and imperialists of Germany."

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd says the evacuation of inland has been ordered by the commissaries. The German advance into Russia is at the march of a conqueror. Up to present it has not met serious opposition. The comparatively rapid progress is ascribed to the fact that German soldiers are slightly wounded. Special dispatches from Petrograd, one of which are dated later than today, indicate that the invaders are collecting immense stores and weapons, munitions, food and other valuable property which the disorganized Russian armies abandoned in their hurried flight. A dispatch to the morning Post says that there is one division of cavalry and one of infantry.

Disorganization in the Russian army has reached an extreme point and there is no likelihood of any order being obeyed, according to a dispatch from Petrograd. The naval authorities at Revel report that in order to save the Russian navy from the hands of the Germans it will be necessary to remove the ships at Revel and Helsinki to Kronstadt.

DENIES INDEBTEDNESS

Samuel J. Harry Files Defense in Action to Recover Coal Sale Fees.

Samuel J. Harry yesterday filed an affidavit of defense specifying by denying indebtedness to William B. Roth of Pittsburgh in the sum of \$8,400, claiming commission on the sale of 112 tons of Sawicki seam coal near atown, Westmoreland county. Mr. Harry admits that he agreed to sell Roth a sale at a satisfactory price but denies that he made a sale of the coal to any concern or individual.

\$30,000 FIRE

andry, Barber Shop and Confectionery Store Burn at Brownsville. A portion of the J. R. Herberston & Foundry in South Brownsville, connection with the confectionery of George Ellen and a barber of Harvey Worcester. The damage to the foundry was \$22,000 and insurance was carried. The fire departments of the three towns all fought the fire, and it was by their efforts that the valuable machinery was saved.

**WE ARE FACING A FOOD
CRISIS THAT WILL LAST
60 DAYS, SAYS HOOVER**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Food Administrator Hoover issued a statement tonight which gives a very alarming view of the food situation. He declares that the eastern United States is a food shortage which is very likely to continue for the next 60 days. He declares the food situation is the most critical in the country's history and that in many large summing areas the reserve stores are at a point of exhaustion. He whole blame is put on railroad congestion, which has thrown the administration far behind in its program for feeding the allies. The solution Hoover sees is a great increased rail movement of food-

**FLEETS OF ARMY
TRUCKS MAY TRAVEL
VIA CONNELLVILLE**

Movement Started to Have Them Hauled This Way to East Instead of by Lincoln Highway.

The War Department at Washington has been asked to consider the feasibility of routing its fleets of army motor trucks through Connellsville on their way to eastern points. If the plan meets official approval, the trucks fleets destined for Baltimore, Washington or points south, will travel over the National Pike for the greater part of the distance.

David S. Ludlum, director of the Department of Motors and Motor Trucks, has advised George S. Connell, executive secretary of the Fayette County Committee of Public Safety that he has taken this matter up with the Washington authorities.

Chairman H. D. Hutchinson of the county committee on motors and motor trucks, whose recent efforts in enrolling automobilists into service were so successful as to receive special commendation of the state headquarters, has been asked to take up with the county and state road authorities the matter of having the road from Coalbrook to Pennsville completed at the earliest possible time in order that it may be in shape for army motor trucks to travel over. Once this stretch is completed the motor trucks would find virtually no break in the improved roads between Pittsburgh and Baltimore.

**AMERICANS RAID
GERMAN LINES ON
ANOTHER SECTOR**

For the First Time Censorship Permits News of Appearance in Chemin-Des-Dames Region.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMIES IN FRANCE, Feb. 22.—In a patrol fight American from units instruction in the famous Chemin-Des-Dames sector killed one German and captured another. One American was slightly wounded.

This is the first time it has been permitted to reveal the fact that new American units have entered this line. The troops have been there for some time, suffering slight casualties, but their presence was kept secret until it was certain the enemy knew they were there.

TO GET CLOSE VIEW

Railway Experts Will Inspect Coke Region Conditions.

A special train carrying the members of the railroad operating committee which has had its headquarters in Pittsburgh for several months, and the operating officials of a number of roads will be in Connellsville tomorrow.

The party will visit the coke region for the purpose of securing information as to the traffic situation and local conditions with a view to clearing congestions and preventing them in the future.

The train will move over the Pennsylvania road, stopping at Connellsville, Uniontown and Brownsville.

BAN OFF "WEINERS"

May Now Be Sold at Lunch Stands on Meatless Days.

George F. Titlow, hotel and eating house representative of the county food administration, after consultation with Administrator Davidson, has ruled that the lunch stands may sell "weiners" on meatless days.

In Pittsburgh permission to dispose of this popular article of food on potluck days was refused upon the ground that a very small portion of pork enters into its composition.

Terry McGovern Dead.
NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Terry McGovern, former world's featherweight champion, died at the King's county hospital this morning. He had been ill only two days. He was 37 years old and was born in Johnstown, Pa.

**RECLAIMING THE
DELINQUENTS IS
JOB OF THE S. S.**

Boys and Girls of Nation Fall Away at Alarming Rate, Speaker Says.

PROBLEM IS A LARGE ONE

But It Can Be Worked Out By Intensive Effort, Chicagoan Tells Men and Women at Teen Age Mass Meeting; Conference Here a Big Success.

The "job" of the Sunday school today, in the opinion of A. R. Waite of Chicago, as expressed in an address last evening at the mass meeting in the Methodist Protestant church in connection with the conference of the older boys and girls of the Sunday schools of the county, is to overcome delinquency of boys and girls which has increased at an alarming rate since the outbreak of the war. As compared with the six months preceding the struggle, Mr. Waite pointed out, juvenile delinquency has increased over the country not less than 32 per cent in any city in which a census has been taken. In Newark, N. J., which he described as the city nearest to Pennsylvania in which there has been observation taken, the rate of increase was 192 per cent. In many other cities it has been abnormally high. He didn't give any Pennsylvania figures.

Mr. Waite, who is international young people's secretary of the Sunday schools, and P. G. Orwig of Philadelphia, secondary division superintendent of the state, were the speakers of the evening. Mr. Waite talked on aims of the Sunday school organization in the rebuilding of the work. He complimented Fayette county on having such a thing as a boys' and girls' conference, something that was not heard of when the older folks were in school. He was pleased with the attendance at the Connellsville conference, at which 14 of the 17 districts in the county were represented by a total of 175 delegates. Some of the delegates, he said, walked five miles to get to a trolley line or railroad.

D. M. Hertog, of Uniontown, county president, presided at the evening session.—The attendance was rather small, one section of the church being almost entirely vacant. A song service preceded the speaking. The afternoon conference of the teen agers closed with a banquet in the new dining room of the church at which the wheatless and meatless idea of the food administration was carried out. Messrs. Waite and Orwig provided the entertainment for the young folks after the banquet.

Rev. Wilbur Nelson offered prayer at the evening session and the benediction was pronounced by the Rev. Ellis B. Burgess.

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SON SHOOT'S FATHER

Tragedy at Arrabrist Is Over Abuse of Connellsville Woman.

Jack Goswick, formerly of Pennsylvania, is in the Westmoreland hospital at Greensburg suffering from a bullet wound in the head inflicted by his son, Jesse, in defense of the latter's mother who had been separated from the husband because of alleged cruel treatment. The tragedy was enacted at the son's home at Arrabrist where Mrs. Goswick, who had been staying in Connellsville, was taking care of her daughter-in-law who is ill. It is not believed the wound will be fatal. The son was promptly released under bail.

Mrs. Jack Goswick had been for some time staying in Connellsville with her brother, Frank Workman, and her sister, Mrs. Emma Goswick. At the time of the shooting Goswick was trying to induce his wife to return and had become abusive when she refused.

MANY NEW MEMBERS

Rival Teams Secure 52 Men Each in Macabee Contest.

The membership campaign being conducted by the Knights of the Macabees throughout the United States, has netted the Young Tent, No. 159, more than 101 new members. Applications are in for initiation next week at the Thursday night meeting when the campaign closes, and the 12 who were initiated last night brought the present total up to 104.

The campaign here is being conducted by two teams, the Red and Blue. The teams are now tied, each having secured 52 new members. For the first time since the opening of the campaign the Blues have showed any sign of being winner.

HIT BY ICICLE

Women Passing Weith Building on Pittsburgh Street Is Hurt.

An icicle breaking off the Weith building last night and falling on the head of a woman who was passing at the time inflicted an ugly cut near the left temple. The wound was not serious, however. The icicle, one about an inch thick and several inches long, fell just as the woman stepped under it. The ice glaced from her hat but struck the face near the temple.

**RED CROSS WILL
GIVE DRAFTS
COMFORTS OUTFITS.**

Under authority from National headquarters of the American Red Cross, permitting local distribution of knitted articles made here, the Connellsville Chapter will tomorrow provide each draftee from Districts 2 and 3 leaving for Camp Lee with a muffler, wristlets and socks.

Distribution will be made in the afternoon at the armory.

Providing for the boys before they go to camp was made possible through the efforts of Chairman J. Fred Kurtz who last night wired Washington for permission to break away from the hard fast rule.

Some of the boys were preparing to leave for the purchase of outfits from their private funds rather than to go to camp without.

**ANNUAL SESSION
OF THE FARMERS
CALLED FOR MAR. 2**

Reports of Past Year Will Be Read and Plans Made For the Coming Season.

WAR WORK TO BE FEATURE

Interesting Topics Have Been Assigned Men Who Know How to Present Them and Much Is in Store for Those Depended Upon to Feed the World.

Notices were mailed yesterday to farmers of the county by Farm Agent P. E. Dougherty, calling attention to the annual meeting of the Fayette County Farm Bureau to be held at the county house in Uniontown, Saturday, March 2, beginning at 1.30 o'clock. Not all the tillers of the soil are out the mailing list and therefore the farm agent asks that those who are thus reached bring along a neighbor. Every farmer in the county is invited. It is expected that the farmers' part in the war will be discussed and that plans for the summer will be outlined. Agent Dougherty's call reads:

"At this time we have a report of the present Executive committee, also a report of the work in the county during the past year. We will have short talks by local farmers on interesting topics, also a discussion of the Farm Bureau work in Pennsylvania by E. K. Hishman, state leader of county agents, State College. "The work accomplished by the Farm Bureau for 1917 will depend largely on the executive committee that is elected at this time. On each farmer in the county rests the responsibility of seeing to it that the proper men are entrusted to this office."

"The program is as follows, beginning at 1.30 P. M. sharp:—

Reading of minutes of last annual meeting.

Report of Treasurer.

Annual report of County Agent.

Election of executive committee for 1918.

Four-minute talks:—

"Production," E. E. Arnold, president of Farm Bureau.

"More Sheep," James Stuckelger.

"Community Meetings," Iden Vail.

"Farm Bureau Work in Pennsylvania," E. K. Hishman.

New business.

The meeting will start promptly at 1.30 o'clock. Every farmer in the county is invited to attend and to bring along his neighbor.

TAKES NEW POSITION

Lyell Buttermore Now With Machine & Car Supply Company.

Lyell Buttermore, until recently yard foreman for the E. C. Frick Coke company at Adelaide, today became secretary and treasurer of the Connellsville Machine & Car Supply company, succeeding Edward H. Myers who has been called to leave with the draftees of District 2 on Saturday.

The new official is a son-in-law of Grant Myers, head of the concern. He has been with the Frick company for a number of years. Before going to Adelaide he was for three years payroll clerk at the Davidson plant. He becomes a member of the supply firm. He will remove from Adelaide to Connellsville, taking apartments at the Myers home in Forer avenue.

Complete Ordinance Course.
Francis Steindel of Mount Pleasant, having completed the course for ordinance field service at the University of Pittsburgh, left Pittsburgh last night for duty at San Antonio, Tex.

Weather Forecast

Show tonight, Saturday unsettled and warmer in the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.
Temperature Record.
1913 1917
Maximum ——— 39 50
Minimum ——— 14 33
Mean ——— 22 42
The Young river fell during the night from 8 feet to 6.40 feet.

**MANUFACTURED GAS
MAY TAKE PLACE OF
NATURAL PRODUCT**

Mountain State Cuts Off Supply or It Becomes Exhausted.

PLAN OF ABLE ENGINEER

Well Known in the Connellsville Region; Would Build Huge By-Product Plant and Turn Gas Into the Pipe Lines Already Laid and in Use.

The revival in West Virginia of the movement to lay an embargo on the piping of natural gas from that state, is of interest when considered in connection with a project for the manufacture of fuel gas on a large scale for the supply of western Pennsylvania, upon which Pittsburgh parties have been engaged for some time past.

The plan, which was originated by S. A. Taylor, the eminent civil and mining engineer of Pittsburgh, and personally known to many persons in the Connellsville coke region, is, briefly stated, to construct an enormous by-product coking plant at a suitable point in a good coal field of West Virginia, and pipe the gas output to this section. The plan does not contemplate the construction of new pipe lines, but the utilization of the lines and compressing plants now in use for the transmission of natural gas.

The steady decline in natural gas supply gave birth to Mr. Taylor's idea. He has realized that before many years the gas supply upon which western Pennsylvania is now dependent will have become exhausted, and without any reasonable certainty that another source of supply will be discovered to take the place of the West Virginia fields. Familiar with the possibilities of the by-product oven, as a producer of a fuel gas of high calorific value, and the practicability of transporting it, Mr. Taylor conceived the idea that it could be made to take the place of the natural product, and the immense investment the natural gas companies now have in transmission lines turned to good account when the natural gas falls, by using these lines as a distributing system for the manufactured substitute. Mr. Taylor interested other parties in the plan and jointly they have made certain progress in the development of his ideas.

Mr. Taylor's life long acquaintance with the fuel requirements of western Pennsylvania; his intimate knowledge of the coal deposits of West Virginia and of the operation of the by-product oven, are proof that his project is not a visionary one. It may be somewhat in advance of the existence of a condition it is designed to meet, but it has not been the purpose of the projectors to hasten its completion. Instead, it has been considered only as a need for the not far distant future. The possibility that the West Virginia authorities may sooner or later heed the demands certain interests in that state have made for a restriction on the piping of natural gas into adjacent states, may give new impetus to the proposition to the extent of causing its details to be worked out somewhat earlier than had been originally intended.

LINDLEY SEEKS FREEDOM

Habeas Corpus Action Is Begun by Alleged Burkey Slayer.

Hearing in the habeas corpus proceedings instituted by Frank M. Lindley, of this place, who is confined in the county jail at Uniontown on a charge of killing F. A. Burkey, in the office of the Lindley-Burkey Lumber company, Second National bank building, will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen.

The petition for a writ of habeas corpus sets forth that Lindley is "unjustly confined in the common jail for some criminal or supposed criminal matter."

DISCONTINUE WORK

Slag No Longer Being Dumped on Hege Hill at Vanderbilt.

Work at the slag dump at Neill's mines was discontinued yesterday for the time being. Hundreds of tons of slag have been dumped there in the last four or five years and from three to five hundred men have been employed at the work. It was stated by a well known railroad man at Dickerson Run yesterday that the mills were sending all their slag west now instead of east.

THOMAS RESIGNS.

Patrolman Quits to Go to Camp Lee With Draftees Tomorrow.

Patrolman Andrew W. Thomas, who went on the force during the recent police shake-up, has resigned to go to Camp Lee with the draftees from District No. 2 tomorrow night.

No successor to Thomas has as yet been named. There are several names that have been passed on by the civil service board.

Safe In France.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moyle of Rockwood, have received word that their two sons, John and Ralph, who are with the United States Expeditionary forces, have arrived safely in France.

**FLAGS HALF MAST AND
MEMORIAL SERVICES AT
SCOTSDALE FOR LLEWELLYN****RED CROSS WORKERS
HERE MAY COMBINE
IN COUNTY CHAPTER**

Local Women to Cast Vote For or Against Consolidated Organization.

In order to determine whether the Connellsville Chapter of the Red Cross is willing to consolidate with Uniontown, Point Marion and Brownsville, in one big county chapter under the direction of a county headquarters, located at one of the four places, a vote will be taken next Wednesday and Thursday. The decision will be sent to national headquarters.

The other three chapters have signified their willingness to consolidate and it practically remains to the Connellsville chapter to make the final decision. The consolidation of the chapters would in no way interfere with the work that is being carried on at present and would greatly simplify the work of the national headquarters in sending working directions, which would have to deal with one consolidated chapter instead of many small ones.

The proposition of consolidating the four county units into one large chapter has been broached before, but the matter was dropped when any enthusiasm failed to show. The national headquarters has written to Chairman J. Fred Kurtz, of the local chapter, asking that serious consideration be given the matter at this time.

In event of a favorable decision by the Connellsville chapter, one of the cities will be selected as a county headquarters and officers of the larger chapter selected from the different communities.

NOTIFYING DELINQUENTS

Chief Bowers Serves Notice on Merchants to Pay License Tax.

Chief of Police William B. Bowers is making a round of the city notifying merchants that the license tax for the year of 1918 is due and that payment should have already been made. With the second month of the year drawing to a close, there is still a long list of merchants that have not paid up their license.

All the West Side delinquents were notified yesterday and Chief Bowers is covering the downtown business section today. If the license tax is not paid after the merchants have been once notified, warrants will be issued.

NOW A 12-OUNCE LOAF

Weight and Price to be Cut Is Ruling of Food Administration.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—According to a ruling issued last night by the Food Administration bakers are authorized to sell a 12-ounce loaf of bread.

Heretofore the smallest loaf permitted to be sold weighed one pound, but recent investigation has revealed that this size is too large for the needs of many small families. The price of the three-quarter pound loaf, the administration suggests, should be relatively lower than the one pound loaf.

TO BUILD LINK

Between the Lincoln Highway and the National Road.

Contract has been awarded by State Highway Commissioner O'Neill to William C. Evans of Amber, Pa., for the construction of a link to connect the Lincoln Highway and the National Road, at a cost of \$238,838.20.

The road will extend from the northern boundary line of Somerset township to Jennertown, a distance of 7.45 miles. The construction is to be macadam-telford type.

Burke Gets Furlough.

Edward Burke, a member of the Hospital Corps of the 110th Regiment, is training at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., is home on a 10-day furlough.

Visiting Son in Camp.

Mrs. Frank Reagan of Scottdale is visiting her son, Sergeant A. V. Reagan, Company E, 332nd Regiment, Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio.

**Burgess Issues Proclamation
Calling Town Into Mourning For 30 Days.****GOLD STAR FOR VICTIM**

First Soldier to Lose Life in Fight for Democracy is to be Signally Honored by Methodist Episcopal Church and the Community in General.

Out of respect to the memory of Thomas A. Llewellyn, Scottdale youth who lost his life in the torpedoing of the transport Tuscania while bound for a European port in the service of his country, Burgess Barnes C. Prentiss of Scottdale yesterday issued a proclamation calling on the people of the town to display flags at half mast for a period of 30 days. The proclamation applies to private residences, business houses, offices and manufacturing plants.

The memory of the first Scottdale boy to give his life in the fight for democracy is to be further honored by a gold star to be placed on a service flag to be unveiled at an early date by the Standard Bearers of the Methodist Episcopal church of Scottdale, at which time a memorial service will be conducted.

The entire community will be invited to participate in the memorial. The date will be announced shortly, it was indicated today.

Other names which will appear on the honor roll with that of Llewellyn are the following:

Clyde Zeasley, Clyde DeWitt, F. M. Fields, Harry R. Humphries, Dr. Norman L. Kerr, George K. Lessie, Dr. Claude W. McKee, P. E. Swartzwelder, Paul G. Williams, Clifford Gibson, Judson Van Horn, Meade Tannehill, Eugene Perry, Clayton Perry, George Lloyd, Charles Colborn, Walter Colborn, Arthur Barnhart, William Fetter, Edwin Beddows, Ray Inghr, Edward Rutherford, James Clarkson, William Hoffman and Charles Kay Keener, who are in the service, and Berkey H. Boyd and A. L. Porter members of the selective service board of District No. 7, Westmoreland county.

TO SELL STAMPS

Boy Scouts Will Sell War Saving Stamps For the Government.

The Connellsville troops of Boy Scouts will soon start a campaign for the sale of War Saving Stamps in the city. The movement is known as the red postcard system.

The Scouts are supplied with red post cards addressed to the postmaster of the city. Then they go to the homes of residents and ask the purchase of the stamps. If the "customer" agrees to buy the stamps, the scout fills in the number wished to be bought every day or each week as is desired, and after signing it, mails it to the postmaster. The stamps are then delivered by the postman on that route and he collects the money.

A scout who sells \$250 worth of stamps to 25 different persons is given an "ace" medal. The badge bears the war saving stamp emblem. After a scout earns the "ace" medal he is given a "palm" for every additional \$100 worth of stamps he sells.

HURT BY CRANE

Men Caught When Machine Turns Over at Power Plant.

Grant Shoemaker, 44 years old, and Joe Delmer, 48, both of South Connellsville, were painfully, but not seriously injured, this morning about 9 o'clock when a locomotive crane on which they were working turned over at the West Penn Power Plant.

Mr. Shoemaker, the engineer, is suffering from burns of the face, hands and foot, while Delmer, the fireman, received a fracture of the leg and arm. Both were removed to the Cottage Staff hospital. The Baltimore & Ohio wreck train will be used in righting the crane.

Granted Marriage Licenses.

John C. Speelman of Mount Pleasant and Emma J. Mundell of Rome and Gon Hamilton and Mary Calaway of Connellsville were granted marriage licenses in Uniontown yesterday.

**HOG ORDINANCE IN EFFECT
TODAY BUT RUSH TO RAISE
PORKERS IS NOT NOTICEABLE**

The hog ordinance, which in its revised form allows residents of the city to raise porkers, provided they follow strictly its requirements, became effective today. There has been no overwhelming rush to secure pig permits, but Health Officer George Hetzel has had several requests from persons who want their pens viewed. Under the ordinance, persons raising pigs must build pens for them not less than 100 feet from a dwelling or highway and the floor of the pen must be two feet above the ground, and the boards placed tightly together, so that there will be no leakage. To keep within the provisions of the ordinance it is not likely that it will be possible for anyone except

those on the outskirts of the residential section to raise pigs. The requests that have been made for permits have come from persons living near the city limits who, in all probability, can easily follow the rulings of the ordinance.

Health Officer Hetzel personally makes measurements to see that the pens are the required distance from dwelling houses and also inspects the pen. The pens are to be cleaned three times a week to keep them in a sanitary condition. A heavy penalty has been provided for violation of this section.

Most requests for pens have come from the north end.

SOCIAL PERSONAL

Attorney John Duggan, Jr., of the Government Four-Minute-Men, will make a four minute speech at the annual concert of the O. M. class of the Methodist Protestant Sunday school to be held Friday evening, March 1, in the church. Attorney Duggan's talk will be the first to be given in the churches by the Four-Minute-Men. Following his address, Miss Mildred Snader, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Snader will sing the national anthem. Another feature of the affair will be music by Kiefer's orchestra, with Prof. Kiefer directing the program. The vocal soloists are Miss Mary McConnell and Miss Helen Belle. The latter of Dawson. The program will include a vocal duet by Miss Marian Munson, soprano, and Miss Mildred Miller, contralto; organ solo, Miss Pearl Keck; piano solo, Miss Jessie Rhodes; readings, Miss Margaret Baker, English teacher in the city high school; solo, Mr. Howard Taylor; trombone, solo, Robert Barkell, Scottsdale; selection by a male quartet composed of Robert Werner, Herbert Pratt, Edward Mason and William F. Brooks. An admission of twenty-five cents will be charged, the proceeds to be devoted to the Sunday school building fund. The concert will begin at 8 o'clock.

George Rankin, Jr., of Williamsburg, will deliver an address on "Masonic Duty," at the 18th annual reception of the Connellsville Masonic Association to be held tonight in Masonic Temple, South Pittsburg street, in honor of Washington's birthday. On account of war time conditions, the annual banquet will be dispensed with. Following Mr. Rankin's address, cards and dancing will be the amusements. The affair will be in the form of a patriotic gathering.

Sergeant Major and Mrs. Thomas Courtney arrived home last night from a wedding trip to Butler, Youngstown and Cleveland. O. Mrs. Courtney before her marriage was Carrie Marie Opperman. Sergeant Major Courtney will leave tomorrow for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., where he is stationed. Later he will be joined by Mrs. Courtney.

A well-attended meeting of the Christian Culture class of the United Presbyterian church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Ruth Kunkle in East Peach street. Mrs. J. C. Stauffer, the class teacher, was in charge of the devotional exercises, and Mrs. Margaret Buskirk, the class president in charge of the business meeting. Five members of the class were reported ill. The Red Cross committee reported five scarves, one pair of wristlets and one pair of socks completed and turned over to the local Red Cross. The class meets every Tuesday night at the home of the teacher to knit for the soldiers. Members are also sewing for the Red Cross. A quilt has been completed by the children's class and will be donated to the hospital. The annual class supper will be held at the regular meeting in March. A Roastbeef menu will be served.

A stag dinner was given by George and Harry Bittner at their Vine street home last night for J. Ray Smith, who leaves tomorrow night for Camp Lee with the District No. 2 draftees. Covers were laid for ten and a well appointed dinner was served by Mrs. Carrie Bittner, mother of the hosts. Patriotic decorations prevailed and small flags were given as favors.

Mrs. J. J. Thompson will entertain the Outlook club Monday afternoon at her home in East Cedar avenue.

The Knit and Win Unit to the Charleston Comforts Branch of the Navy League will meet Monday night at the home of Mrs. Harry Reagan in Eighth street, Greenwood.

Eleven members of the Ladies' Bible class of the First Baptist church attended the regular monthly meeting held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Coleman in Morrell avenue. Following the business meeting the remainder of the afternoon was spent at knitting for the soldiers and sailors.

About twenty-three business women attended the weekly meeting of the Business Women's Christian association held last evening in the association rooms in Odd Fellows' temple, South Pittsburg street. Previous to the Bible study in charge of Mrs. J. French Kerr, supper was served by women of the Methodist Protestant church.

Plans for the annual thank offering services to be held Sunday night in the church, were completed at the regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Protestant church held yesterday at the home of Mrs. T. M. McFarland in North Pittsburg street.

Mrs. W. A. Furlong delightfully entertained the O. N. T. Panyway club yesterday afternoon at her home in Crawford avenue, West Side. Nine

members and two guests were present and enjoyably spent the afternoon at knitting and fancywork. Delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. L. Schuler will entertain the club Thursday afternoon, March 7, at her home in East Crawford avenue.

A delightful dance was held last night in Cochran's banquet hall at Dawson. Members of the younger social set. A number of guests from Dawson and out of town points attended.

Miss Mercedes Gladden of Greenwood, will give a musicale tonight at Scottsdale for her pupils at that place. A delightful program has been arranged.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. B. McCarty in Oak street. Ten members and one guest were present at a very enjoyable meeting of the West Side Needleworkers at which Mrs. Herbert Semones was hostess last evening at her home in Morrell avenue, Greenwood. Mrs. D. Frank Smith will entertain the club Thursday evening, March 21.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. J. J. Barnhart, Jr., Supanside, and Mrs. Harvey Harbaugh and two children are the guests of Mrs. U. H. Craft of Uniontown today.
Mrs. T. H. Brennan, of Johnston avenue, is visiting in Pittsburgh today.
Miss Martha Ruby of Uniontown is the guest of Miss Katharine Frisbee today. Tonight she will attend the annual reception of the Masonic Association.

You will be delighted with the handsome new spring fabrics we have on display. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.
Mrs. Josephine Reid of Will's Road, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Moore, of Greensburg.

Thomas Adams of Somerset, formerly of Connellsville, has returned home after a visit with relatives here. Mrs. Joseph Dixon of East Crawford avenue, visited relatives in Pittsburgh yesterday.

The best place to shop after all, Brownell Shop Co.—Adv.
Mrs. Jacob Robb of Morgantown, was the guest of friends here yesterday.
Mrs. Charles Lehnart of Morgantown, was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Quintan Donald Marietta and Cyrus Kennel left Wednesday night for Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., to visit William Struble and Scott Lysinger of the 120th Regiment Hospital Corps, from Augusta they will go to Jacksonville, Fla.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see F. T. Evans Estate.—Adv.
Harry Carney, Baltimore and Ohio detective in this city, is visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Carney of Westover. Mr. Carney went there to appear before the medical board for examination.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Leckenby and son of the West Side, are spending the week-end with Mrs. Leckenby's sister, Mrs. J. H. Leckenby of Meyersdale, and her son, Corporal William Leckenby, who is home from Camp Hancock on a 10-day furlough.

Mrs. J. E. McLaurine of Water street, left yesterday morning for Spartanburg, S. C., to visit her husband, First Lieutenant J. E. McLaurine. Mrs. McLaurine was formerly Miss Anna Feher.

Mrs. V. Conover of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Drift of Morrell avenue, Greensburg, left this morning for her home. Mrs. Drift accompanied her to Pittsburgh.

Thomas Robinson, a coal operator at Smithfield, was in town today on business.

Mrs. W. C. Dunham and daughter, Miss Grace Dunham, are visiting in Wheeling, W. Va.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Elliot of Uniontown are visiting friends here.
Stanley Crow is in Pittsburgh today on business.
Attorney Fred Munson, who enlisted in the ordnance department of the United States Army, left this morning for Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Left of Cumberland are visiting at the home of the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Eliza J. Gager. Mrs. Left was formerly Miss Phyllis Gager.

Patronize those who advertise.

PREPARE TO GREET TAFT

Uniontown Committee Arranging Details for Ex-President's Reception.

The committee having charge of the arrangements for the reception of ex-President Taft at Uniontown on March 7, will meet tomorrow to complete the details. The following committees have been named:

Tickets—Thomas H. Hudson, chairman; T. L. Howard, F. M. Semans, Jr., Music—H. S. Dumbauld, chairman; R. W. Playford.

Arrangements—W. J. Sturgis, chairman; D. W. McDonald, S. Ray Shelby, Public Safety—Judge R. E. Umbel, chairman; G. S. Harsh.

Finance—John Lynch, chairman; C. E. Lehnart, R. M. Fry.

Mr. Taft will deliver his address in the West End theatre in the afternoon and be the guest of the Fayette County Bar Association at its annual banquet at the Uniontown Country Club in the evening.

MOTION PICTURES

To Be Shown in Connection With Sterling Address.

In connection with the address by Congressman Bruce P. Sterling Monday evening in the high school building in the interest of the work of the Navy League arrangements have been made for motion pictures of army camps. They will be shown before and after the address through the courtesy of C. A. Wagner of the Paramount theater.

The preliminary program, starting at 7:45 o'clock will include a solo by Miss Mary McConnell. Rev. G. W. Buckner, pastor of the Christian church, a resident of England during three years of the war will introduce the speaker.

MUST NOT HAVE LIQUOR

Friends of Draughts Are Asked to Not Embarrass Them.

Attention was called today to the prohibition by the military authorities of furnishing draughts with intoxicants after they have entered the service, with a request that none be supplied those leaving Connellsville tomorrow.

In the interest of the boys their friends are asked not to ask them to break the rule.

GAME POSTPONED.

City League Contest Set Back for a Later Date; Good Game Tuesday.

Owing to the interest that has been aroused in the high school basketball game between Scottsdale and Connellsville, being played here tonight, the city league game between the Macabees and the Baltimore & Ohio clerks has been postponed to a later date.

Tuesday night the Baltimore & Ohio will play the Connellsville Garage. The railroaders have developed a better passing game and aim to beat the Garage with their own tactics. The preliminary game Tuesday night will be between the South Connellsville girls and the Scottsdale girls team.

U. B. REVIVAL.

Is to Start Sunday Under the Leadership of Pastor.

Revival services will begin Sunday evening in the United Brethren church under the direction of the pastor, Rev. J. S. Showers. On Sunday night Rev. R. S. Showers, superintendent of the Erie conference of the United Brethren church, and son of the local pastor, will be the speaker.

The first week the pastor will probably not have assistance but the following seven days he is looking for an evangelist.

BISHOP BELL COMING.

United Brethren Ministry Will Be in City in March.

Bishop William M. Bell of Washington, D. C., will be in Connellsville March 10 to attend the 15th anniversary of the dedication of the United Brethren church in Lincoln avenue. The bishop was to have lectured in the local church several weeks ago but his visit came at the time of a severe cold wave which put the church heating system out and made necessary postponement of the services.

POLICEMAN SUSPENDED.

Month Pleasant Cop Failed to Turn Over Forfeit, Is Charged.

Specialist to the Courier.
MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 22.—James Noel, recently elected to the police force by council, has been suspended by Burgess Samuel P. Stevens for failure to account for a \$10 forfeit taken from a man named Myers whom he arrested for allowing his car to stand in a street without lights.

Moody-White.
SMITHFIELD, Feb. 22.—Bennie Moody and Ida White will be married here Saturday. The bride-elect is a daughter of Mrs. Ella White, California, Pa. The groom is a son of Charles Moody of this place. James Moody, a brother of the groom, now in Camp Lee, Va., will be here for the occasion. Jonathan Moody, superintendent of the Prospect Coal company will hold a reception for the young couple at the old Mathiot mansion on the hill.

Not After Furniture.
The arrest of C. J. Packman recently on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Mrs. Louvina Guthrie of the South Side resulted from Packman's attempt to collect a small bill and not because of an attempt to possess himself of household goods. It was charged he broke in the door and abused Mrs. Guthrie.

At New York Show.
Joe C. Kanney of Scottsdale is in New York attending the Madison Square dog show. He has some Boston terriers on exhibition.

Bring results. Cost only 1c a word. Classified Advertisements

CAN'T BUY SUGAR, OIL AND OTHER NECESSITIES IN PARTS OF FRANCE

Candles Are Only Means of Illumination, and They Cost Eight Cents Each, Writes Scottsdale Boy.

Accompanying a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Stutz of Scottsdale from Alva Hamilton, who is with the 15th Engineers somewhere in France, was a photograph of the young man (which indicates that Uncle Sam's boys are being well fed).

"We are all well," writes the young man, "and are fast becoming acclimated. For the last three days, we have been having high, rather warm winds which gives one pleasant thoughts of spring. But the snow in the mountains was rather plentiful, so it is very muddy here. This with the rain makes spring worse than the coldest part of the winter."

"We have 40 men in camp who arrived in France the latter part of December, so they received no Christmas mail. When your box of candy arrived I divided it among them and they were greatly pleased. Thought you would be pleased to hear what I did with it. We all try to be brothers as we are all working for the same cause."

"We are working hard in doing our bit for the good old U. S. A. At present I am working at night and sleeping during the day. You talk about sugar being scarce in America. Here you can't buy oil, sugar, coal and many other necessities. We use candles for light at night and they are very high. Before the war a small candle cost 10 centime (two cents). Now they cost 40 centime (eight cents). A one or two page newspaper costs three cents and the pages are very small. A Sunday paper, like those of Pittsburgh, would cost about a dollar, if there was one that large."

"Everybody here drinks wine, even the children. So far I have abstained, as I never indulged while in the States. Suppose by the time you receive this you will be having spring-like weather."

FOREIGN GIRLS AID

They Take Up Red Cross Work With Vim at Dawson.

The foreign girls of Dawson, under the direction of Mrs. H. J. Bell, have taken up making surgical dressings and have completed 150 packs of surgical bandages. There are no alien enemies among them, many having brothers who are "our boys" in the army.

Surgical dressing classes for all are held on Friday; on Monday night for American girls and on Tuesday nights for foreign girls. The Red Cross work rooms in the Cochran banquet hall are open on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays of every week and a full supply of goods is promised for next week.

FIFTY MILES AN HOUR

Is Too Speedy for Dunbar and Burgess Takes a Hand.

Charged with violating the automobile speed law at Dunbar on Tuesday, John Mesko of Dunbar, was given a hearing before Burgess Alex Duncan and ordered to pay a fine of \$10 or spend 10 days in jail. Mesko paid the fine.

The speed limit is 15 miles per hour, and Burgess Duncan, who saw Mesko driving at a rate of 50 miles per hour, summoned Policeman Ross S. May and ordered him to place the reckless driver under arrest. Burgess Duncan will make a special effort to break up the automobile speeding at Dunbar from now on.

ASKS FOR LOAF

And Then Takes All That Is in the Baker's Cash Drawer.

Specialist to the Courier.
MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 22.—The other evening a boy came into the store of Charles Graul and asked for a loaf of bread. The case in the store was empty and Mr. Graul went to the shop in the rear for the loaf. When he returned the boy was gone and gone, too, was about \$25 in cash from the register.

The baker recognized the boy and an effort is being made to recover the money.

SCOTSDALE TONIGHT.

High School Will Play Against Mill Town Boys at Local Gym.

The Connellsville high school basketball team will go up against the Scottsdale team tonight on the local gym floor. The local boys were defeated some time ago when Scottsdale was played on the home floor, but there is hope for a victory tonight. The Connellsville team will present a new lineup when the game starts. Moore has been taken from center and placed on a guard again, with Jimmie McConnell jumping center. McConnell's place at forward has been filled by Bill Lyons.

Loses His Tux.
August Kowals of Trotter, 36 years old, met with an accident this morning in the mines of the H. C. Frick Coke company at Trotter which resulted in the loss of all of his toes on the right foot. He also suffered slight scalp wounds. He was brought to the Cottage State hospital.

Moves to Scottsdale.
Elmer Bigley of Cross Roads has moved to Scottsdale where he recently purchased a property. Sell Murray has occupied the Bigley place at Cross Roads.

ASTHMA
There is no "cure" but relief is often brought by
VICK'S VAPORUB



Announcing OUR EARLY SHOWING IN Coats, Suits & Dresses For the Spring of 1918

Our Coats, Suits and Dresses this year are very moderately priced and the styles are wonderful. The materials are the best that can be bought and the shades are all the latest.

Our prices in Coats range from \$18.50 to \$65.50
Our price in Suits range from \$22.50 to \$69.50
Our prices in Dresses range from \$16.50 to \$60.00

We cordially invite you to inspect these lines.

"The Store Ahead"

E. DUNN STORE
The Home of Quality and Service
103 W. 11th St. Pittsburgh, Pa.

Butterick Patterns

STOMACH DEAD, MAN STILL LIVES

People who suffer from weak stomach, indigestion and lack of appetite, and who are unable to eat, should take this medicine. It is a sure cure for all stomach troubles, and it is a good prescription that will build up the stomach, put strength, energy and elasticity into it, and make it sturdy enough to digest a hearty meal, without artificial aid.

The best prescription for indigestion ever written is sold by druggists everywhere and by A. Clarke and is right guaranteed to build up the stomach and cure indigestion, or money back.

This prescription is named "Stomach" and is sold in small tablet form in large boxes, for only a few cents. Remember the name, "Stomach" tablets. They never fail.—Adv.

The Grim Reaper

MRS. RICHARD TAYLOR.
A husband and eight children are left to mourn the loss of Mrs. Clara Martha Herbert Taylor, who died of pneumonia yesterday morning at her home at Vanderbilt. The children are: Mrs. Ella Madison, Herbert, William, Grace, Lauretta, Richard, Jr., Charles, William, Geraldine and Kenneth Taylor, all of Vanderbilt. She leaves also her mother, Mrs. Nancy Herbert; four brothers and three sisters: Mrs. Rosa Laughrey, Clarence, Charles Herbert and Connellsville; Joseph, George and Richard Herbert, Vanderbilt; Mrs. Harry May, East Riverside, and Mrs. William Critchfield, Uniontown. Mrs. Taylor was 37 years old on last January 5. Ray S. W. Bryson will officiate at the funeral services which will be held Sunday at 2 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Wed in Cumberland.
George Hutchinson of Dunbar and Scottie Jane Gillaugh of Upper Merion, Pa., and Margaret Frances Anderson of Perryopolis; George Franklin Wilson, of Connellsville, and Nora Deal of Mount Pleasant, were granted license to wed in Cumberland.

Birthday Events.
The William Kurtz Post 104 Grand Army Republic is attending a birthday party this afternoon at the home of W. H. Gladden on the West Side. The party will be on W. H. Gladden and J. G. Hicks members of the post.

Patronize those who advertise.

OWNED LOCAL SECURITIES

Late Mrs. McClelland of Uniontown Stockholder in City Banks.

The appraisement of the personal property of the late Mrs. Margaret J. McClelland of Uniontown, shows that she was the owner of 140 shares of the capital stock of the First National Bank of Connellsville, which was appraised at \$21,000, and of 146 shares of the stock of the Young Trust company of Connellsville, appraised at \$14,600.

Among other holdings were 418 shares of Pennsylvania railroad stock, \$19,427; 127 shares of Wheeling and Lake company, \$28,100; 213 shares of National Bank of Fayette County, Uniontown, \$31,950; 31 bonds Pittsburgh Westmoreland Coal company, \$9,000, and certificate of deposit in J. V. Thompson estate, \$24,891.50. The entire personal property is appraised at \$213,044.22.

Colored Women Organize.

A unit of the Charles Comforts Branch of the Navy League was organized among the colored women of the city yesterday afternoon at a meeting held in the A. M. E. church in the West Side. Mrs. Alice Washington of Gibson avenue, was elected chairman. The unit will meet once a week and the women are very enthusiastic over the work which they have volunteered to take up. Little Miss Isabelle Fletcher, five year old, is a splendid knitter and will begin work at once on a pair of wristlets. Mrs. L. S. Michael and her aides, met with the women in the interest of the organization of the unit.

Enlist in Army.

Thomas J. Boyle, of Scottsdale, and Charles M. Conley, of Point Marion, enlisted in the United States army in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Patronize those who advertise.

PREPARE FOR FINAL EFFORT TO STAY SALE OF BANK BUILDING

Meeting of Creditors of First National Uniontown, Called for Tonight at Courthouse.

In a final effort to prevent the sale of the First National building, Uniontown, a meeting of creditors and stockholders in the old institution has been called for tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the courthouse. "This is a crucial moment in the history of the Thompson affair. What is done in the near future will have a lasting effect on the industrial welfare of the community."

The statement says further that V. Thompson will be present to make a statement.

Resolutions are to be drawn up sent to Congressmen Bruce F. Sling and Comptroller John Skel Williams protesting against the sale of the Thompson estate to continue the fight.

GETS FIVE YEARS

Walter Schindeldecker Let Off With Light Description Sentence.

Walter L. Schindeldecker, Comeville man, has been sentenced to years' imprisonment for deserting Schindeldecker was a member of Company 1, 319th Regiment.

He deserted his command on October 19 and was arrested at Comeville where he escaped with Richard Hols, another deserter, by sawing his way out of the Connellsville lock. Schindeldecker is now at Fort Jay, York.

Hunting Bargains? You will find them in our ad. column.

A Perpetual War of Germs.

In every human body there is continual strife between the forces of health and disease, while headaches, nervousness and frequent colds mean weakness and forewarn sickness. In changing seasons your system needs the oil-food

SCOTT'S EMULSION

to increase the red corpuscles of the blood and create it resistive power which thwarts colds, tonsillitis, troubles and rheumatism. Scott's is high-powered medicinal-food without drug or alcohol. One bottle now may prevent a sickness. The imported Norwegian cod liver oil used in Scott's Emulsion is now refined our own American laboratories which guarantees it free from impurities. Scott & Bowman, Bloomfield, N. J.

—Adv.

A Real WarTime Food GRAPE-NUTS
Delicious barley flavor. Over 10% actual grain sugar produced in making. NOT A CRUMB OF WASTE.

MISSIONARY WOMEN OF THE U. B. CHURCH MEET AT SCOTSDALE

Assembly is for the Annual
Institute of the Allegheny
Conference Branch.

AVIATION RECRUIT IS FETED

Funeral of Soldier's Mother is One of
the Largest Ever Held at the Mill
Town; Instructions Are Issued to
Draftees as to Their Departure.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Feb. 22.—The annual
institute of the Woman's Missionary
Association, West Branch of the Al-
legheny conference was held yesterday
afternoon and evening in the United
Brethren church. Delegations were
present from Youngwood, Connells-
ville, Mt. Nebo, Owensdale, Mt. Pleas-
ant and Everson. This was one of
the largest institutes ever held by
this branch.

At the afternoon session there was
a discussion on Mission Study, with
Mrs. S. O. Steiner giving a talk on
"An African Trail," and Mrs. Albert
Kelster "The Value of Mission Study."
Mrs. Younkla had charge of the Mis-
sion Study; Mrs. E. M. S. Pyle sang a
solo, "The Value of the Missionary
Society" was discussed by Mrs. M. A.
King of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. G. E.
Leonard, Connellsville; Mrs. Albert S.
F. Kelster sang a solo. "The Value
of our Departments," was discussed
by Mrs. W. R. Kooser of Connellsville
and Mrs. J. R. Smith. This was fol-
lowed by a Missionary exercise by
girls from Youngwood.

The evening exercises opened with
an organ prelude, by Mrs. R. F. Grant-
ham. Devotions were in charge of
Miss Lella Shupe. Misses Ora and
Marie Detwiler sang a duet. A piano
duet was contributed by Edna Shal-
leuburger and Mrs. Ellwood Sleight.
The remainder of the program was:
"The Little Maid Who Went Into the
World," Miss Edith Erwin and Miss
Marie Crosby; solo, Miss Verne Ke-
lar; "The O. G. Plan," and "What it
Means," Mrs. Alfred Sidway; "Mis-
sion Work in the Home Field," Mrs.
C. A. Colborn; "In the Foreign Field,"
Rev. F. A. Riskey, a returned Mis-
sionary from Africa.

Entertainments for Recruit.
A number of entertainments have
been given at the homes of the boys
for Gilbert Gove who leaves today for
New York to join an Aviation corp. On
Wednesday evening Clyde Parker en-
tertained for Gove, and last evening
William Jittler gave a dinner at his
Homestead avenue home. Miss Mil-
dred Miller of Connellsville was a
guest. Ralph Corsin entertained at
his South Chestnut street home last
evening for Gove.

Will Name Officers.
An afternoon tea and meeting of the
Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A.
will be held next Friday afternoon,
March 1st. At this meeting officers
for the ensuing year will be chosen.

Twenty-seven Enroll.
William Ferguson, enrollment officer
for the Public Service Reserve,
signed up five men on Wednesday and
four yesterday making a total of 27
now on the roll in Scottdale. Among
the last men who enrolled were black-
smiths, plumbers and machinists.

Unusually Large Funeral.
The funeral of Mrs. Dorothy Fields,
held from the home of her daughter,
Mrs. William Budd, yesterday after-
noon, was one of the largest in the
history of Scottdale. The services
were in charge of Rev. C. W. Terhush,
pastor of the Methodist Episcopal
church, and he was assisted by Rev.
Drickley. Mrs. Fields' son, Firman,
of the 110th Regiment, Camp Hancock,
who was home on a furlough, returned
last evening.

Draftees Ready.
The men who leave from the Scottdale
district Number 7, Westmoreland
county with the draftees on next
Sunday will meet and report at 11
a. m. and then again at 3. They will
join other draftees at Connellsville.

For Sale.
Six room house with bath, lot
35x120 feet, on Loucks avenue, for
\$2,000. F. E. DeWitt—Adv.—20-ft.

Personal.
William M. Copley left yesterday
to join the hospital corps at Fort
Oglethorpe.

WARM YOUR FEET WITH MUSTARINE BIG BOX 25 CENTS

If your feet are cold this winter
weather just one application of Beggs's
Mustarine will keep them nice and
warm for days.
It's the surest and quickest pain kil-
ler ever discovered; it will draw out the
inflammation from your sore, tired feet
in one night—it takes the agony from
chilblains and is the best thing to use
on frost-bitten feet.
But that isn't all, it stops backache,
headache, toothache, earache and neu-
ralgia—many times in 5 minutes. It
drives away the agony from rheuma-
tism and gout, and overnight ends cold
on chest, pleurisy, bronchitis and sore
throat, and never blisters.
Be sure you get Beggs's Mustarine in
the yellow box—it's the original non-
blistering substitute for grandmother's
mustard plaster and is made of true,
yellow mustard and not cheap substi-
tutes.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 22.—John
Karolick left Philadelphia Wednes-
day to visit the Perry boys at Camp
Lee.

A. W. Boyer of Connellsville, trans-
acted business in town Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Armstrong and Mrs. R. P.
Kamerer were Wick Haven callers
Wednesday.

Fred Baker has returned from the
Cottage State hospital.

Miss Hilda Anderson is spending a
few weeks with friends at New York
City.

Mrs. Fisher Dunham of Star Junction
spent Thursday with Mrs. S. N.
Galloway.

Homefurnishers Since 1891

AARON'S

FEBRUARY



Carving New Records in Value-Giving

This big February Sale—with its savings of 10% to 33%—stands alone in its demonstration of Aaron's wonderful value-giving, merchandising power and absolute disregard to rising market conditions.

Here on our Floors are hundreds upon hundreds of pieces of dependable Furniture, Rugs, Carpets, Stoves and Housefurnishings—all our regular stocks—especially reduced for this occasion. Every article has the February Sale Tag as well as the original Tag attached.

That's why Aaron's has been such a busy place since this money-saving event was started. And that's why you can't afford to pass up this opportunity—especially if you need anything in the way of Housefurnishings and if you care about saving.

Sale Ends February 28th

So you'd better come in now and get your share of the savings

**Convenient
Credit, as usual.**

**Goods held for
future delivery,
if desired.**



This \$150 Four-Piece Dining Room Suite, William and Mary Design in Jacobean Oak. Sale Price 99.50

This \$52.50 extra large Buffet	\$36.75
This \$40.00 extra large China Closet	\$26.50
This \$37.50 extra large Extension Table	\$23.50
Regular \$20.00 Serving Table	\$12.75

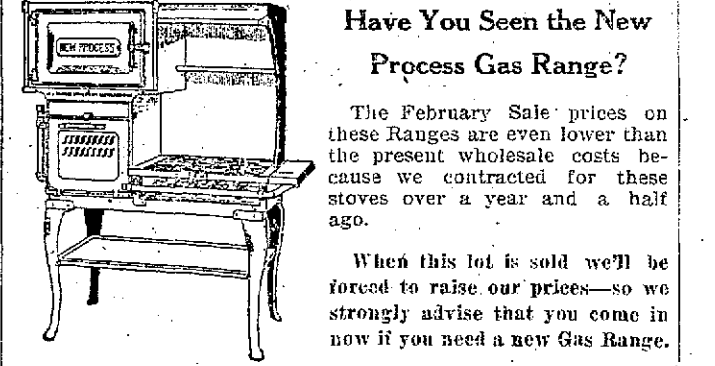
Chairs to match can be purchased extra.
This suite is indeed very substantially built of the best materials and is a good example of the values made possible only through Aaron's four-store buying-power.



This \$220.00 Four-Piece Queen Anne Dining Room Suite, American Walnut 139.75

This \$90.00 Buffet	\$54.50
This \$60.00 China Closet	\$40.00
This \$45.00 Extension Table	\$29.50
This \$25.00 Server	\$15.75

Chairs to match this Suite can be purchased extra.



Have You Seen the New Process Gas Range?

The February Sale prices on these Ranges are even lower than the present wholesale costs because we contracted for these stoves over a year and a half ago.

When this lot is sold we'll be forced to raise our prices—so we strongly advise that you come in now if you need a new Gas Range.



This \$45.00 Kroehler Bed Davenport, February Sale Price \$27.50



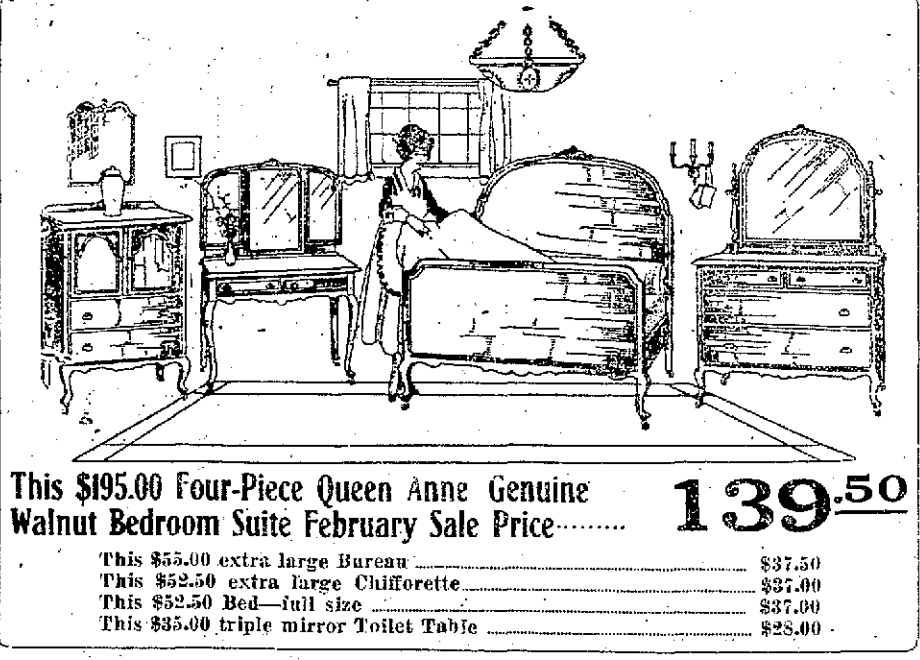
Why not come in now and let us demonstrate this wonderful

HOOSIER

KITCHEN CABINET

See for yourself why Hoosier is used in over a million homes today—and why Hoosier is the only cabinet for YOUR home.

Prices go up March 1st
—so you'd better come in now.



This \$195.00 Four-Piece Queen Anne Genuine Walnut Bedroom Suite February Sale Price 139.50

This \$55.00 extra large Bureau	\$37.50
This \$52.50 extra large Chiffonette	\$37.00
This \$52.50 Bed—full size	\$37.00
This \$35.00 triple mirror Toilet Table	\$25.00



\$75 Kroehler Bed Davenport Three-Piece Colonial Library Suite, February Sale Price 44.75

Complete with Bed Davenport, Rocker and Chair. Made of genuine quarter sawed oak. The spring construction is of the best and is the same as that found in the highest grade upholstered furniture. Made up in chase leather—the best imitation leather made.

RECLAIMING THE DELINQUENTS IS JOB OF THE S. S.

Continued from Page One.

In the afternoon separate sessions were held for the older boys and older girls only, and for all adults who registered. Robert Scheil was chairman of the older boys section, and Miss Sarah Deary, chairman of the older girls section. P. G. Orwig, A. R. Waite and Harill F. Poole were the principal speakers. A joint session followed, after which a wheatless and meatless luncheon was served in the dining room of the church by women of the church. Short addresses were given and colored slides of older boys and older girls training camps were shown.

Delegates in addition to those named yesterday were as follows: William W. Bumgarner and Eleanor C. Lincoln of Uniontown; Arville K. Barnes, Jr., Dunbar; Helen Patterson, Conneltsville; Hazel Provance and Nellie Jones, Dunbar; Virginia Ellenberger, Dunbar; Beniah W. Monahan, Dunbar; Mary Wilson, Conneltsville; Florence Conway, Conneltsville; Lawrence Weaver, South Conneltsville; Mrs. A. C. Herbert and Miss Florence Coleman, Conneltsville; Miss Hilda Bowman, Dunbar township; Miss Martha Whetzel, Upper Middletown; Anna Myrtle Cullen and Ruth Rider, Shosh; Anna Molenock, Uniontown; Lucy Deary, Smithfield; Anna B. Miller, Oliphant; Maude A. Howell, Fairbance; May M. Harvey, Oliphant; Elizabeth Moser, Uniontown; Bessie M. Toman, Uniontown.

The Daugherty, Lulu Ryland, May R. Pitt, Bessie M. Baer and Goldie R. George, Smithfield; Etta Ball, Leisenger; Elizabeth King, Elizabeth Abelman and Catherine J. George, Smithfield; Lucile Beardsley, Dunbar; Blair Tompkins, South Conneltsville; S. M. Grimes, Conneltsville; Cecilia Burk, Uniontown; Lillie Bailer, Clifer, Ray E. Feather, Roy Wise, Orville Matthews, Paul E. Bowman and Shert Nixon, Smithfield; Anna Washington, Leisenger; William Gann, Conneltsville; C. W. Sherman, Conneltsville; Myrtle Taylor, Percy; Daniel Collier, Uniontown.

Alvie Layman, John Layman and Pearl Hoover, Normalville; Edgar Collier, Uniontown; John O'Neal, Uniontown; Geneva Wadsworth, Mount Pleasant; Eve Fulton, Mary Weimer and Stella Layman, Normalville; Eva Crawford, Dunbar; James Darby, Leisenger; Phil Siler, Newcomer; Sarah J. Deary, McClellandtown; Miss Catherine Stouffer, Pennsylvania; Mabel Joverly, Dunbar; Frank O. Brown, Uniontown; Rose Hardy, Dunbar; David Ansell, Dunbar; Margaret Smith, Maude Kay, Stuart W. Speer, Paul Speight and Eleanor Senor, Dunbar; Miss Ora Cavanaugh, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. W. H. Friend of the West Side, had charge of the registration.

UNION SUPPLY PATRONS

Given Demonstrations in Food Conservation and Flour Mixtures.

The Union Supply company is conducting a systematic and energetic campaign to educate its patrons in the necessity of food conservation. Trained demonstrators are visiting the separate stores of the company located throughout the coke region to teach the housewives in the coking communities the best methods of utilizing wheat flour substitutes and otherwise instructing them in the observance of the food regulations.

General Manager John Lynch has been giving his personal attention to the issuance of instructions to store managers as to the best plans for inaugurating a campaign of education among the thousands of customers at the Union Supply company's stores.

In its newspaper advertising the company has given its space over to asking plain the necessity for the regulations that have been placed upon a use of food. The effects of the campaign are everywhere noticeable. It is doubtful that, when the number of persons is taken into account, any other class of residents is given as much attention to food conservation as the coke workers and their families.

GRAHAM FLOUR RULE

Being Misunderstood: Why 50-50 Plan Was Modified to Suit.

Misunderstanding of the government's regulation of flour, placing its release on a "50-50" basis, has been very general. There seems to have been a misconception of the modification made to cover whole wheat and sham flour containing at least 95 percent of the entire grain. With the five pounds of either of these flours, only three pounds of the allowed substitutes must be purchased. Ninety-five percent extraction gives out 20 percent more of the grain as goes into the average white flour. It is to compensate for this 20 percent, saying that the Food Administration allows a modification of the 50-50 rule.

This rule requires that a retail dealer in flour shall not, without written permission of the United States Food Administrator, sell wheat flour to any person unless such person purchases with him at the same time one pound of wheat flour substitutes for every pound of wheat flour purchased, or the case of whole wheat or graham flour containing at least 95 percent of the entire wheat, six-tenths of a pound of wheat flour substitutes for every pound of such whole wheat or sham flour purchased.

edit for Red Cross Contributions. According to a decision of the commission of internal revenue contributions made to the Red Cross in 1917 or 1918 are deductible to an amount not in excess of 15 percent of the taxable net income of persons subject to the payment of income tax.

LARGE FORCE OF CAVALRY WILL BE SENT TO FRANCE BY AMERICA



The cavalry was believed to be an almost useless unit of modern warfare until it proved its value in assisting the tanks in the allied drive against the Hindenburg line at Cambrai. America will send overseas a force of cavalry greater than any now doing duty on the west front. The photograph shows two of Uncle Sam's expert cavalry riders performing a difficult stunt.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 22.—Mr. S. M. Janus of the West Side was in Somerset yesterday transacting business. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McDonald received a message from Martinsburg, W. Va., stating the former's aged aunt living there had died. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald left last night for Martinsburg.

Thomas Costello, of Fort Hill, Pa., was in town yesterday transacting business.

Joseph Ream, a well known resident of Drakestown, Pa., was a business visitor in Conneltsville, Pa., yesterday.

Rev. H. C. Trimmer was visiting friends in Ohio, Pa., yesterday.

John Trentle was in Conneltsville, Pa., yesterday visiting friends and transacting business.

Mrs. Charles Russell left yesterday for Conneltsville, Pa., to visit friends. Andrew Taylor, of Ohio, Pa., was in town yesterday transacting business and visiting friends.

Dr. C. P. Large of Meyersdale State Health Officer of this county was a professional visitor here yesterday.

Pat Burnworth a Baltimore & Ohio engineer of Conneltsville, Pa., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burnworth here yesterday.

Robert McNeal a well known farmer of the Jersey church has returned from a business visit to Meyersdale, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Humbert and three children of Conneltsville, Pa., are here called her by the death of the former's aunt, Mrs. Harriet Hanson.

The funeral arrangements for Mrs. G. E. Cunningham have not been completed yet but will likely occur sometime Sunday.

If You Want Something Advertise for it in our classified column. One cent a word.

Relief from Eczema

Don't worry about eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using a little Zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c, or extra large bottle \$1.00. Zemo generally removes pimples, blackheads, blotches, eczema, and ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy and stains nothing. It is easily applied and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 20.—Misses Lulu Hocking and Mary Stotler departed Thursday for Houston, Texas, where they will visit the former's Mrs. Frank Seibert.

Miss Nell Blittner has returned from Akron, O., where she had been employed for the last four months. C. A. Phillips is in Pittsburgh for a few days on business.

D. E. Shipley and son are home from Pittsburgh where they had been for a few days on business.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Wiland is in Baltimore this week purchasing millinery goods for the Miller & Collins store.

Miss Elsie Hasselroth returned on Tuesday from a week's visit in Pittsburgh and Youngstown, O.

Miss Mae Diehl is home from a business trip to the eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. John Saylor visited friends in Garrett on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Handwork of Berlin were Meyersdale business visitors Thursday.

Frank W. Hobbitt left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Austen, W. Va.

If You Are Having Bargains Read the advertising columns of The Daily Courier. You will find them.

Save Wheat

Use substitutes for wheat Flour and you will help bring our boys home

Safe and Soon

KOBACKER'S

"THE BIG STORE"

ON PITTSBURGH ST.

Porkless Saturday

Pork is so valuable to win the War that some patriots have pledged themselves to eat no pork

Till the War is Won

Beginning Tomorrow==Saturday

Final Reductions on Winter Garments

The Supreme Reduction of the Year

Women's and Misses'

S-U-I-T-S

Up to \$25.00 Values, Now \$5.00

Women's and Misses'

C-O-A-T-S

Up to \$18.50 Values, Now \$5.00

Clearance Children's Winter Coats Half-Price

Sizes 2 to 16 Years.

Women's and Misses' up to \$48.50

S-U-I-T-S

Regular and Stouts, at \$10.00

Women's Misses' and Junior

C-O-A-T-S

Values to \$25.00, at \$10.00.

Stunning New Spring Apparel

Arriving daily at "The Big Store." Each day sees the arrival of representatives of the newest and best ideas for Spring—all carefully selected with keen regard to style and value.

New Spring Suits
New Spring Coats
New Spring Dresses
New Spring Skirts
New Spring
Millinery



Advance Showing of Spring

Trim'd Hats \$4.95
Very Smartest Shapes & Colors

Just the sight of their clever shapes and colorings will make you want to buy. Clever little Poke styles, Bustle and Mushroom effects—some of Georgetowne Crepe, Hems, Satins and Straw combinations.

New Spring Shoes
New Spring Silks
New Spring Waists
New Spring Neckw'r
New Spring
Boys Clothes

United Profit Sharing Coupons With All Purchases.

OTTO EIDLITZ IS MADE DIRECTOR OF HOUSING.



Otto Eidlitz, New York architect and builder, has been named director of housing. It was announced by the department of labor. Mr. Eidlitz will be in charge of the government's activities in providing living facilities for industrial workers other than those employed in the shipyards. He was president of the Mason Builders' association in New York from 1900 to 1904 and organized the Building Trade Employers' Association.

BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. Druggists refund money if it fails. 25c

Big 15c Matinee Daily at 2:30. Evening Shows at 7:30 and 9:15.

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Clean, Progressive Amusement for the Whole Family.

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THE BON BON REVUE CO.

Presents a Musical Farce

"THE DUKE"

On the Screen—W. S. HART.
Next Week—Zarrow's Little Bluebird Company.

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and the

OLD JAZZ FOUR

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

TODAY AND TOMORROW

GOLDWYN PRESENTS MADGE KENNEDY IN

"NEARLY MARRIED"

The story of an almost bride and a not quite bridegroom in a road-house where they serve nothing but chicken—in 8 Acts.

ALSO A SELECTED COMEDY.

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COUNTRY STORE TONIGHT

TWICE DAILY—2.30 AND 8.15

See the Unusual Play

"Why Girls Go Wrong"

One Girl's Experience in New York

MATINEES, 10c AND 20c. EVENINGS, 20c AND 30c.

NEXT MONDAY

"THE CHRISTIAN"

Hall Caine's Wonderful Play

EXTRA PLAYERS ENLARGED ORCHESTRA

50—SUPERNUMERARIES—50

Diphtheria
A sore throat is a good breeding place for Diphtheria germs. Protect your children by never neglecting a Sore Throat. You can wisely depend upon TONSILINE. Give Tonsiline upon the first appearance of Sore Throat—don't give Diphtheria a chance in that throat in its weakened condition. When TONSILINE is swallowed it comes directly in contact with the diseased surface and induces a healthy condition of the membranes—then the system can better defend the throat if attacked by Diphtheria germs. Keep TONSILINE in the house where you can get it quick when needed. 35c, 65c, and \$1.00.

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TODAY AND TOMORROW

BILLIE BURKE IN

"ARMS AND THE GIRL"

American Pluck and Wit Triumphs

When the clouds burst and the Huns made their futile dash for the gates of Paris "the Girl" was there with as pretty a romance as piquant, dainty Billie Burke has ever played.

"That Night," a Good Comedy.

BUYING AT HOME RESULTS EVENTUALLY IN BENEFIT TO THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY

The buy in Connellsville campaign if strictly adhered to, would prove to be the greatest cooperative affiliation with the ultimate results of great benefits to all classes, because:

First—It would increase the volume of all business and therefore the profits and dividends of all firms.

Second—The expansion of business and profits would increase the working forces and salaries.

Third—The increase of business would naturally increase the population of our city.

Fourth—The increase of population means expansion of territory, thereby a large demand for real estate, residences and stores.

Fifth—It would naturally increase the deposits of our banking institutions.

and, give the money markets a broader elasticity.

Sixth—It would make Connellsville a greater trade center.

Seventh—It would invite investments of manufacturers.

Eighth—It would become necessary to enlarge our truck farms and stock raising.

Ninth—It would invite out-of-town trade, because our merchants, manufacturers, truck farmers, etc., could compete with the world.

Tenth—It would entirely eliminate the mail order houses; keep our money at home, and select merchandise with our own eyes, cheaper and better, from as good selections as could be purchased in the United States.

At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"NEARLY MARRIED."—Starting Madge Kennedy, the capable young comedienne, whose work supplemented the laugh-provoking situations of Margaret Mayo's screen version of "Baby Mine," is being presented today. The "Nearly Married" situation is that of a young couple who have quarreled because the husband objects to having his wife's brother accompany them on their honeymoon. It is a rapid fire comedy with action from start to finish, and a swift succession of thrilling situations calculated to entertain a nation. The various happenings involving the young bride couple, who become separated with a couple of minutes after the wedding ceremony is performed; a professional correspondent with an eye for business; a friend who takes things worse by trying to repair the mischief done; and a Hindu monk who provides fun that is literally fast and furious. Mark Smith, who played the part of "Tom," in the original stage production of "Nearly Married," has the same role in the support of Miss Kennedy. "Nearly Married," when presented several seasons ago in New York, was an all-season success at the Gaiety theatre and played to tremendous audiences throughout America. Monday, Emily Stevens will be seen in "Daybreak," a five part Metro attraction of unusual interest. Friday and Saturday, March 1 and 2, Alice Brady will be featured in "Her Silent Sacrifice." Select picture, Mabel Talbot will appear today in "Draft 254," a Metro feature. Another attraction to be shown in the near future, is "Scandal," in which Constance Talmadge is featured.

THE OLYMPIAN.

"ARMS AND THE GIRL," the Paramount photoplay which is appearing here today and tomorrow, follows closely the stage version which met with such success a few years ago. Billie Burke is the star. Briefly, the plot is as follows. An American girl, stranded in Belgium at the opening of the present war, innocently exchanges her passport with a Russian girl—a spy. Another American—a young man, also helps the Russian girl by the loan of his automobile. When the Germans seize the town the two Americans who have not been able to escape are held for complicity, especially the man who is ordered to be shot. "The Girl" saves him by declaring him to be the fiancé she has been waiting for, and as if to prove her statement, the German general orders the two to be married at once. This is done and the two young people find themselves in a most embarrassing position. The husband escapes, however, while in the meantime, the real fiancé appears. The latter proves himself to be rather a cad so the newly married couple who are becoming very fond of each other resolve to do nothing about annulling the ceremony as they had planned. Altogether this is one of the most charmingly humorous and vivid photoplays of the season. "The Girl," a good comedy will also be shown.

THE SOISON.

"WHY GIRLS GO WRONG."—The change of play at the Soison theater yesterday was a decided success with the large audiences who found much to interest them in the thrilling story. "Why Girls Go Wrong." The play begins as a rural drama with its country atmosphere and then the scene is changed to a glitzy dancing hall in the metropolis. "Why Girls Go Wrong," is a good play of its kind and women and girls, particularly, will find it to their liking. Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the Manhattan will positively produce "The Christian." It will be a noteworthy presentation in every way. Several added players will appear. There will be an increased orchestra and many other features that the dignity of this famous play demands. "The Christian" is unquestionably one of the greatest dramatic successes of the age. It was formerly presented by Miss Viola Allen in the principal part of the country. The latter half of next week will be given over to the comedy drama, "Lena Rivers."

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, Feb. 21.—N. N. Kessel of Mill Run is a business caller in Connellsville today.

E. B. McMillan of Rogers Mill is spending today in Connellsville on business.

J. W. Barger of Indian Head is a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown today.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Terwilliger of Roaring Run are spending today with

Connellsville friends.

J. J. Dougherty of Connellsville was here on business yesterday.

Iverson Morrison of Mill Run was a business caller here today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl of Mill Run are spending today with Connellsville friends and shopping.

INDIAN CREEK, Feb. 21.—H. I. Fisher spent last night at his lumber camp at Roaring Run.

Mrs. Emma Krepps of Mill Run is spending today with Connellsville friends and shopping.

J. W. Barger of Indian Head is a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown today.

Mrs. Ralph Saylor returned to her home in Connellsville after spending a few days among Nebo friends.

H. E. Smith of Indian Head is a business caller in Connellsville.

Read the advertisements.

William Turner of Connellsville spent a few days among friends at Killarney Park Inn.

GREAT DANGER ATTENDS CROUP AND WHOOPIING COUGH

The Following Treatment is Recommended by the Highest Authorities.

Give the child at once a quarter of a teaspoonful of Forkola-Jelly. All good druggists have this. In a minute the little patient will feel a gentle glow all over the throat and chest and the hard choking matter will be easily coughed up and expelled.

It's simply wonderful how quickly this pleasant tasting jelly acts, and mothers whose children suffer from croup, croupy coughs and colds, tonsillitis, etc., are strongly advised to have a small jar of Forkola-Jelly on hand for emergency.

It will save you many anxious moments. Forkola never fails and every druggist in the country guarantees it on the money back if dissatisfied plan, so try it at our expense.

Classified Advertisements Bring results. Cost only 1c a word.

Good Night Stories

Illustrated by Gracie.

DICKY VISITS THE LADY MOON.

MAMMA," said Dicky one night as his mamma tucked him in his little bed, "is there really and truly a Lady in the Moon?"

"That's what they say," replied mamma, drawing aside the curtains so Dicky could see the moon hanging like a silver disk in the dark blue sky.

Dicky lay a long time after mamma left the room, watching the moon.

"How lonesome she must be with nothing to do," sighed Dicky dreamily.

"That's all you know about it," cried a sneaky voice.

Then Dicky saw his little friend, Squeed, peering through the window on the back of an old gray owl.

"How would you like to pay a visit to Lady Moon?" Squeed asked when the owl came to rest on the foot of the bed.

Dicky, always ready for adventure, quickly jumped out of bed and up behind Squeed on the gray owl's wings, and out the window they flew.

Up, up into the soft white clouds where the merry stars blinked and winked at them from their windows in the sky they flew.

Soon they reached the end of the moon, path, and Lady Moon greeted them with a lovely smile. Her long silver hair formed the silver sickle back of her shining face.

"So you think I must get lonesome, do you?" laughed Lady Moon. "I might if I didn't have so much to do, but I keep me busy watching my brothers."



Old North Wind Ramped It.

"I know the little school," exclaimed Dicky, sitting down on the tip of the silver sickle.

"Oh, no!" replied Lady Moon. "The speaking of my four brothers, West, East, North and South Wind."

"Now, West Wind and South Wind seldom give me any trouble. I send them into your garden, most every evening to rock the flower-fairies and the little butterflies to sleep."

But North Wind and his brother, East Wind, are both mischievous fellows. When they get into an argument always know it's time to warn folks that trouble is ahead of them; for they generally end in a storm. The only way I have of warning folks on your earth is to hide my face behind a cloud. So you see, I'm kept pretty busy."

Just then old North Wind came ramping in and whistled Dicky right off the tip of the moon. And if it hadn't been for Squeed catching him, Dicky might have had a very bad fall. But gray owl took Dicky on his wings again and carried him back to his little bed, just as Squeed was coming out behind a cloud.

"She's sending out her warning," said Dicky dreamily, and before many seconds the wind was rattling the curtains and the rain was coming down in torrents. My, wasn't Dicky glad he was in his nice warm bed!

Baby Walker

Extra Special
Saturday only \$1.95

ZIMMERMAN WILD COMPANY

FURNITURE

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"The Big Store Near The Bridge."

\$1.50 Pictures

While They
Last Saturday 75c

Everybody Is Coming to Connellsville's Greatest February Furniture Event

The real Furniture values of the city are to be had at this Sale. We purchased the Leonard stock at a price that permits reductions such as are truly startling.

If there is a need for your home that can be supplied during this Sale—by all means investigate. This is a rare opportunity. Don't let it slip.

Closing Out Sale Leonard Stock Everything for Every Room 1/4 to 1/2 Off Leonard Prices

LEONARD DUOFOLD SUITES

AT
Big Reductions

Come with expectations high for you will not be disappointed. Suites in all woods and upholstery—and every one at a saving.

SEE WINDOWS.

ZIMMERMAN-WILD COMPANY

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

Period Bedroom Suites

AT
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Then step into our Big Store and look over the complete line of fine Period Bedroom Suites that are being closed out. The Leonard Furniture Company had an enviable reputation as dealers in the better grades of Furniture and these suites were among their best.

LEONARD DINING SUITES

AT
Real Savings

There are still a few of the Leonard Furniture Company's fine Period Dining Room Suites left. These suites are now marked at final closing out prices. SEE WINDOWS.

154-158 W. CRAWFORD AVENUE

Clear, Peachy Skin Awaits Anyone Who Drinks Hot Water

Says an inside bath, before breakfast helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Sparkling and vivacious—merry, bright, alert—a good, clear skin and a natural, rosy, healthy complexion are assured only by pure blood. If only every man and woman could be induced to adopt the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of the thousands of sickly, anemic-looking men, women and girls, with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle, but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance, awaiting those who practice internal sanitation.—adv.

SLUMP IN BUILDING

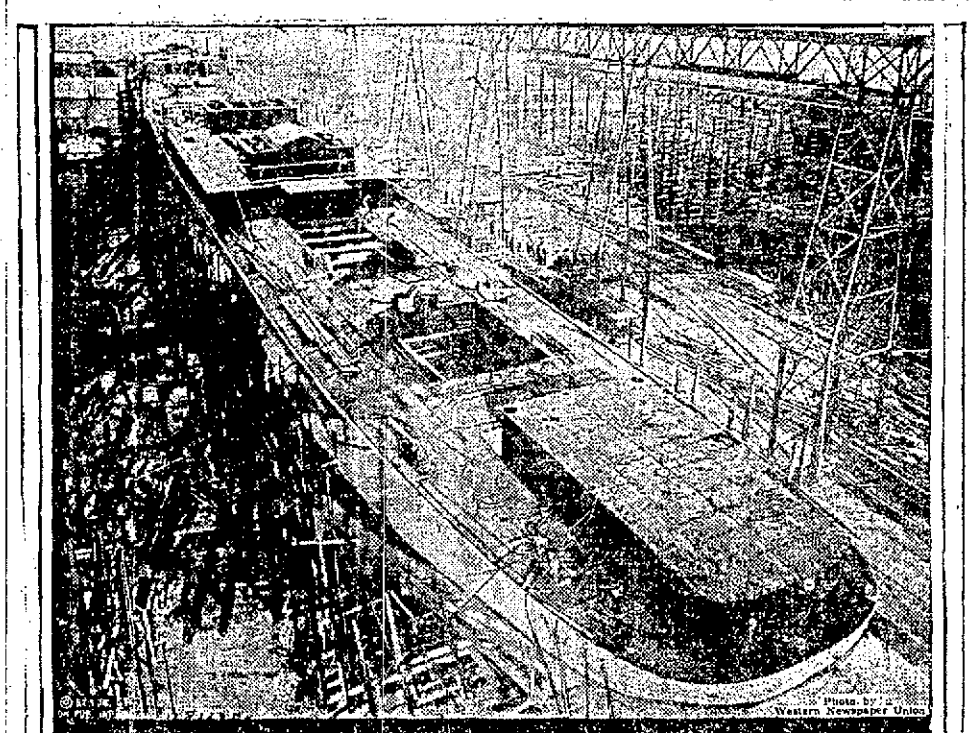
Is Probable During Summer Owing to Government Needs.

Local building concerns are pessimistic over the outlook during the coming season. Except for repairs it is expected there will be little on hand. One of the chief reasons will be the inability to secure materials except at abnormally high prices. The United States government, has for months been drawing heavily on the lumber supply for ships and army gunboats. As long as this continues, it is said, there will be little in the building line for the spring and summer.

Just now there is a scarcity of poplar, a builder said. This lumber is used largely in cabinet work and contractors are experiencing trouble in filling orders.

Every merchant, every bank and business man advocates buying at home. Then let us give you prices on your job work this coming year. The Courier Job Dept.

BUILDING OF ONE OF AMERICA'S IMMENSE VICTORY BEARERS



MANY STAR JUNCTION STUDENTS LISTED ON SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Fifth Monthly Report Shows Enrollment to Have Been 516 and Percentage of Attendance 90.

A report of the schools of Star Junction for the fifth month, ending Tuesday, February 12, prepared by E. J. Ramsler, principal, shows that the attendance averaged 90 percent. The report shows the following by grades:

No. 1.—Miss Ruth Thorndell teacher, enrollment, 37; percentage of attendance, 80; class leaders: John Mohaw, John Brutman, John Puskar and Helen Younsko.

No. 1-b, Miss Bertha Linderman, teacher, enrollment, 60; percentage, 85; class leaders: John Shovel, Frances Uricka, Nellie Thrasher, Elmer Lammie and Frank Stanik.

No. 2.—Miss May Rittenour, teacher, enrollment, 51; percentage, 89; class leaders, Katie Robison, James Short, Mary Clinging and Lizzie Philp.

No. 3.—Miss Irene Essington, teacher, enrollment, 54; percentage, 93; class leaders, John Yokobayage, John Fedik, Charles Thrasher, Paul Butchko and Maudie Pell.

No. 4.—Blanche Murphy, teacher, enrollment, 52; percentage, 92; class leaders, Emma Brown, Helen Ludwick, Robert White, Mary Kovatch and Anna Monrack.

No. 5.—J. Myers, teacher, enrollment, 52; percentage, 94; class leaders, Joseph Aspinwall, Marie Beard, Mary Kovach, Andy Hornick and Frank Finck.

No. 6.—Ruth Brown teacher, enrollment, 53; percentage, 88; class leaders, Frances Cenker, Anna Tinschke, Anna Urick, Valentine Lugli, Margaret Kptona, Lena Kurdelia and Helen Frank.

No. 7.—Ella Mae Pollock teacher, enrollment, 49; percentage, 91; class leaders Frank Rosbeck, Earle Burnsworth, Mary Shovel, Elizabeth Schubert and John Thincik.

No. 8.—Garnet Jones teacher, enrollment, 41; percentage, 91; class leaders, Irene Butchko, William Rittenour, Robert Thrasher, Josephine White and Edward Aspinwall.

No. 9.—E. M. Hess, teacher, enrollment, 28; percentage, 93; class leaders, Ona Wolfe, Gertrude Jenkins, John Shubert, Joe Kurdila and Gladys Carr.

No. 10.—E. I. Ramsler, teacher, enrollment, 17; percentage, 90; class leaders, Mary Malatin, Lillian Koffer, Ruth Piersol, Grace Allison, Ralph Blinnier.

TO GIVE DEPOSITORS FACTS

Congressman Crago Wants Reports of Failed Banks to Be Made Public.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—Representative Crago yesterday introduced a bill making it mandatory upon receivers of failed national banks to file with the United States district courts in the districts in which the banks are located, complete accounts of the bank affairs.

"Under the present law," said Mr. Crago, "the receiver of a failed national bank files his report only with the comptroller of the currency. It is a secret report, and is not open to the inspection of any interested party, as it would be if filed with the court. If the bill, which I have proposed, should become a law, stockholders would have all the information contained in the report of the receiver. They could file an appeal with the court if they were not satisfied with the action of the receiver."

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Good Coal. Prompt Service. Call Bell Phone 123 or 402. Tel-Stat 070.

THE LAST EXAMINATION OF WAR'S DRAFT

Many a man has fallen down because a test of his water showed unmistakably that he had kidney disease.

The kidneys are the scavenger and they work day and night in separating the poisons from the blood. The signs of distress are easily recognized and include such symptoms as backache, depression, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic twinges, drooping, gout.

"The very best way to restore the kidneys to their normal state of health and cure such symptoms," says Dr. Pierce, of Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. "is to drink plenty of water and obtain from your favorite pharmacy a small amount of Anuric, double strength, which is dispensed by almost every druggist. You will find Anuric and water do the trick, dissolves uric acid as water does sugar. Send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial pk. PHILADELPHIA, PA." About one year ago I had some trouble with my back in the region of kidneys. I sent for a supply of Anuric Tablets. After taking them I have never felt the least pain in my back, or anywhere else. I keep a bottle of Anuric Tablets in my medicine chest.

band so I can take a few every month or so, for prevention is better than cure. —W. G. MacMillan, 323 N. 39th St. WAMPUM, PA.—"I was afflicted with my kidneys and my back hurt me so I sent for Anuric Tablets. I could hardly endure it. I had to rise four and five times in night. I sent for Anuric and an entire cured now and am feeling fine; can do lots of work. I have just passed my 76th milestone. If you are troubled with your kidneys, I advise you to get Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets; they cure me and should cure you." —Mrs. E. J. Foster, Box 85, Route 2.

DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTER

Musterole Works Easier, Quicker and Without the Blister

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients combined in the form of the present white ointment. It takes the place of cut-throat plaster, and will not blister. Musterole usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, brachialgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back, joints sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, colds of the chest (often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



Patronize Those Who Advertise

GIVE FRANK SLAVIN PRAISE AS SOLDIER

Famous Prize Fighter War's Most Remarkable Private.

Volunteered at Beginning of War and When Turned Down on Account of Age Recruited Own Army—Refused Commission.

Frank Slavin is back in Canada for a short rest after nearly three years of fighting on the battle lines in France. There is material for a score of adventure stories in the career of Slavin. Altogether he is the most remarkable private soldier of the great war.

Slavin was born in Mattitah, N. S. W., the birthplace of that more remarkable great Australian fighter, Les Darcy, on January 5, 1892.

When he was twenty-two years old he became a professional prize fighter, fighting under London prize-fighting rules and defeating many good men in Australia. He fought Peter Jackson in a barroom in Sydney and was beaten. But he knocked out Tom Burke for the championship of Queensland and a \$200 purse.

In 1917 he came to America, fought several good battles and went to England, where he fought Jim Smith for the championship of England at Berkeley, Belgium. Slavin was beating Smith when a gang of Smith backers broke down the ring and attacked Slavin with clubs and brass knuckles. The fight was called a "draw" but the purse was afterward paid to Slavin.

He knocked out Joe McNally, the Mission Giant, in two rounds in London, returned to America and beat Jake Kilbuck in nine rounds in Hoboken, "went back" to England and was knocked out by Peter Jackson after a stubborn fight, fighting for a purse of \$10,000.

Jim Hall knocked Slavin out, and then Slavin knocked out the Coffee Cooter and several other good men.

Returning to America, Slavin went up to Alaska in the big gold rush and became a mining engineer. When the great war started Slavin at once volunteered, but was turned down because of his age, although he was a remarkably strong and hardy man, and accustomed to all the hardships of the war, and managed to enlist up in the Yukon. Within a month Slavin recruited 300 men for his battalion, the Sixty-seventh, of Vancouver. He was offered a commission, but refused it saying that he preferred to stay in the ranks with the men he had enlisted. Crossing to England most of the men in the Sixty-seventh were transferred to the Fourth Division. Probably Frank Slavin will insist on going back to the front. He is the kind of a man who won't be kept away from the fighting.

FAMOUS TENNIS PLAYER IS LIEUTENANT COLONEL



Norman Brookes, who with Anthony F. Wilding was killed "somewhere in France," was the Davis cup emblematic of the world's amateur tennis championship, from the United States in 1914, was at last reports a Red Cross commissioner in Mesopotamia, with the rank of lieutenant colonel.

JOE WALCOTT NOW PIN BOY

Former Prize Fighter, Known as "Giant Killer," Employed in Gotham Bowling Alley

Joe Walcott, who in his prime was known as the "giant killer," and knocked them down for many years, is now setting them up. Walcott, now forty-five years of age, is setting pins in a New York bowling alley. During his career in the ring Walcott won the welterweight title, and when there were no more fighters left in that division he tackled the middle and heavyweight.

WORLD'S CHAMPION BILLIARD PLAYER BECOMES A CUE INSTRUCTOR IN ARMY



WILLIE HOPPE EXECUTING DIFFICULT SHOT.

Willie Hoppe, the world's greatest billiardist, has become a billiard instructor in the army and is stationed at Mare Island Cal.

"The government is installing billiard and pool tables at all of the army camps, not only to amuse but instruct the Sammies," says Willie. "The ordinary layman would not believe that billiards could be used as a means of developing the precision and accuracy of the Sammies' eyesight but such is the case. I recently made an interesting experiment when I tried trapshooting and found that my ability to shoot straight was over 50 per cent better than that of the ordinary novice at the game."

SEVEN RULES FOR GOLFERS

Harry Vardon Gives Cardinal Points to Devotees of Links—Keep the Head Steady.

Seven cardinal rules for golfers as set down by the famous Harry Vardon, are as follows:

1. Keep the head steady and do not let the left heel turn outward—then the body can only wind up when the arms go back.
2. Grip firmest with the thumbs and forefingers—they are not so well adapted as the other fingers to the purpose of taking a strong hold, and they are the most important of all for the purpose of the golf grip.
3. Let the club-head lead, the left wrist turning toward the arms following the club-head and the right hip screwing next.
4. Don't throw the arms forward as you start to come down as though you were mowing grass. Rather



Harry Vardon.

throw them back, and let them come round in their own way from that point.

5. Let the movement of the right shoulder be steady and rhythmic, it should have nothing in the nature of a sudden drop or jerk.
6. Don't be afraid to hit hard, if you are swinging correctly, hard hitting is not "pressing."
7. Keep your head still until the club has struck the ball.

On "Time."

"Is this train running on time?" "I should say so," answered the conductor. "It can't run any other way. The company has got to get so many extensions of credit that the whole road is running on time."

SPORTING BINGLES

New plan to divide world's series swag will make a hit with wives of ball players on pennant-judging clubs.

No truth in the report that the national commission will donate its share of the series money to homeless umpires.

When interviewed regarding the new plan to split the swag, Eddie Collins said: "I'm for any plan that will give the winners' end to the winners."

Said Benny Kuff: "From now on it will be a case of the victor getting the tail."

Philadelphia club owners are working against a bill to levy a war tax on all unoccupied seats in ball parks.

Fight solons ought to invent a food strike rule to apply to Fred Fulton.

Red Cross has asked for waivers on Jess Willard's services.

1918 baseball contracts will contain many doughless clauses. Baseball fans hope to see the players conserve ivory plays for the hot stove season.

WILLIS DAVIS AN AIR PILOT

One of Most Popular of San Francisco Tennis Colony Enrolled in Service of Country

Willis E. Davis, national clay court champion, and one of the most popular of the San Francisco tennis colony is among the flight of invading aviators in France.

As a member of the aviation section of the signal corps Davis first underwent instructions at the Berkeley camp. Later he moved to San Antonio Tex. and more recently completed his course in New York.

His last active work with the racket was during the indoor tennis match at the Oakland auditorium several months ago when he showed in advantage in game that included William Johnston and Johnny Strachan. All are now enrolled in the service of the United States.

Davis left immediately following the match for the South and nothing has been heard from him.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR 1918

Outdoor Sports Begin Season With Better Outlook Than Last Year—'Panics' Worn Off

Outdoor sports will begin the 1918 season with brighter prospects than they saw at the close of the 1917 season. The first panic of warfare has worn off cool heads are dominating the athletic councils and both managers and athletes are realizing that their part in the national life is an important one. Adjustments are being made in every branch of sport, but not adjustments that will interfere with the games. Probably there will be no sport during the coming season that will experience an extraordinary boom, but there will likewise be no slump great enough to kill any branch of athletics providing that particular sport adjusts itself to war conditions and follows a safe-and-sound policy.

FAMOUS OARSMAN IS KILLED

Captain Holland One of Best Known Athletes in England, Meets Death at the Front.

The death is announced at the front of Capt. W. D. G. Holland, one of the best known track athletes and oarsmen in England. He was a versatile track athlete, winning British championships at the 100 yard, half mile mile and long jump. He rowed in the Oxford varsity eight for four years and was president of Oxford Boating club in 1899. He rowed No. 7 in the Leander crew, which defeated Yale. For several years afterward he coached the Oxford crews and for ten years before the war acted as judge at the Henley regatta.

Landers Is Penn Captain. Sherman Landers, holder of the world's high school pole vault record has been elected captain of the University of Pennsylvania track team. Landers home is at Oregon, Ill.

Wegman Is Criticized. Baseball fans are beginning to criticize Owner Wegman of the Cubs for his too strenuous efforts to buy star ball players.

Frankie Fleming Is a Flier. Frankie Fleming the Montreal boxer, is reported to have joined the flying corps.

Catcher Kuhn in Service. Red Kuhn formerly a catcher for the White Sox, is a sergeant in the National army at a Texas camp. Kuhn was a member of Doc White's Dallas 1917 national team.

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- Women's Gun Metal Lace Shoes, 9 in top, military heel, \$4.50 val. \$3.85
- Women's Pat. Colt and Gun Metal Button Shoes, \$4.00 values for \$1.87
- Misses' Gun Metal Lace Shoes, high tops, \$4.50 values for - - - \$3.65
- Misses' Tan Lace Shoes, high tops, \$5.00 values for - - - \$3.85
- Misses' Gun Metal and Pat. Colt Button Shoes, \$3.00 values for \$2.15
- Men's Army Shoes, first quality, Munn & Bush make, \$7.00 val. \$5.50
- Men's Heavy Work Shoes, black of tan, \$4.50 value for - - - \$3.45
- Men's Dress Shoes, tan or black, English style, \$5.50 values for \$4.65
- Men's Dress Shoes, dark brown or black English style, \$8.00 val. \$6.00
- Men's Dress Shoes, high toes, button or blucher style, \$4.00 val. \$3.35
- Boys' Shoes, button or blucher style, \$3.50 kind for - - - \$2.85
- Boys' Shoes, button or blucher style, \$3.00 kind for - - - \$2.45
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PETEY DINK—He Really Looked Like He Was Married

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DEATH ON GALLIOWS

Modern German Pirates Deserve Fate of Buccaneers of Old.

Sailors Serving on United States Merchant Marine Today Knew Man Who Remembered Fate of Spanish Frebooters.

Stories of piratical methods employed by German submarines commanders in burning undefended merchant vessels and mistreating defenseless crews are no novelty to thousands of mariners on the Atlantic coast, such as are now enrolling for service in the new merchant marine.

Some of these sailors, who are to man the emergency fleet of merchant ships being constructed for the United States shipping board to take supplies to our armies in France, actually knew men who suffered at the hands of the last pirates of the Spanish main, whose methods were similar to those of the Germans.

Among the men who reported for duty as mates recently at the recruiting headquarters of the shipping board were some from the Massachusetts coast who had known a survivor of the last ship taken by Spanish pirates of the Caribbean. This was Capt. Thomas Fuller of Salem, who died in 1906 at the age of ninety-four.

Captain Fuller was able seaman in the crew of the brig Mexican of Salem in 1832 when, laden with saltpeper and gun, with \$20,000 in silver stowed under the cabin floor, she sailed from her home port for Rio.

On August 29, near the coast of Cuba, the schooner was held up by a vessel described as "a long, low, straight topsail schooner of about 150 tons, painted black," which hailed and requested the captain of the Mexican to send a boat alongside with his papers.

The boat was sent, and came back in charge of an ill-looking armed crew of pirates from the Spanish main, who drove the crew of the Mexican below decks, fastened down the hatches, and began looting the vessel. Finding the silver, they sent it aboard their own ship.

The pirates next cut the sails and rigging of the brig to pieces and started a fire in the galley on deck, which they expected would soon destroy the brig. They then departed for their own vessel, and sailed away in search of other victims.

But they had neglected to fasten the cabin skylight. Through this the brig's captain awoke, and, getting to the fire, splashed water on it until he had it in control. He then caused it to smoke heavily until the enemy was out of sight.

The crew rigged their vessel, and, favored by a gale made their escape from such a dangerous neighborhood. Salem sailors today recall with satisfaction that the long arm of justice meted out retribution to the pirates.

A few months later a Salem vessel was in the harbor of St. Thomas, when a low, black schooner anchored near her. The Salem captain was suspicious, and inventing an excuse went aboard the schooner for a call. On her deck he saw two spars painted black which he recognized as belonging to the Mexican.

That night the stranger left the harbor, but the Salem captain notified a British man-of-war captain of her character.

A few months later the British brig-of-war Curlew caught the black stranger in the Nazareth river, a sailing locality on the west coast of Africa. The pirate crew fled to the shore and found shelter with a native. They were hunted hard, and four were taken. Later 11 others were taken at Fernando Po and St. Thomas.

The pirates were conveyed to Boston for trial, and found guilty of the attack on the Mexican. Their captain, Pedro Gilbert, assumed innocence and the air of an injured gentleman. He was found guilty, with four others. In sentencing the five to death, Judge Joseph Story used language that reduced the court to tears, closing with these words to the condemned men: "And in bidding you, as far as I can presume to know, an eternal farewell, I offer up my earnest prayer that Almighty God may in his infinite mercy and goodness have mercy on your souls."

The five men were hanged in Boston, and with their exit piracy ended in the western world.

HAS ONLY IMPULSE TO RUN

When Under Influence of Fear, Horse Has No Other Idea Save That of Blind Flight.

It was pathetic to see the terror of London horses when the tank passed through the city recently, writes a correspondent. Many of them sighted the new-fangled contraption at a distance and stood with ears pricked forward, eyeballs starting and nostrils distended, as if to be held and screened until it passed by. It was, of course, the same in the early days of motoring, but despite his tendency to panic the horse is intelligent if given a chance.

When bicycles were novelties—an acquaintance tells me—a horse, in a Cheshire country district, showed great fear until a bicycle was once brought to him and held beneath his nose so that he could inspect it in detail. He never minded them afterward. According to Romanes, the horse "is the only animal which under the influence of fear loses the possession of every other sense in one mad and mastering desire to run." This pathetic falling was utilized by our men in the recent advance on Cambrai, when at one point, it is recorded, a squadron of cavalry dismounted and stampeded their horses, which fled panic-stricken in the darkness toward the enemy lines, and so drew the German fire—Manchester Guardian.

Intricate Mechanism. "I don't know how to take this chicken apart," declared the bride. "Well," tackled an automobile successfully, said the young husband. "We ought to be able to handle a small job like this. Where's the book of instructions?"

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier. MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 22.—The congregation of the Second Baptist church gave a donation to their pastor, Rev. William Wilson, at his home here on Thursday evening. Many good things were brought the minister and his family.

Rev. T. C. Harper attended the meeting of the conference extension in Greensburg yesterday.

Among the Mount Pleasant ladies who attended the Missionary Institute in Scottsdale yesterday was Mrs. H. C. Morrison, Mrs. M. A. King, Miss Nancy Truxal, Mrs. Harriet Jamison, Mrs. Laura Zundell, Mrs. Hugh Close, Mrs. C. G. Page, Mrs. Jacob Fox, Belle Stouffer, Clara Burkholder, Mrs. Emma Finstan, Mrs. Dave Fox and Mrs. Charles Mullin.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 22.—Mrs. George Heishberger spent Thursday shopping in Connelville and calling on friends.

Rev. M. G. Trimmer, pastor of the M. E. church spent Thursday greeting friends in Ohio. He states the regular service for Sunday evening here will be cancelled. He also states what a wonderful meeting they are having at Harpersville, where he is holding services. They have at present 18 converts and more asking for their prayers. All are taking a lively interest and the revivals are meeting with success.

Mrs. James Hall of Sugar Leaf spent Thursday shopping in town.

Miss Verna Cunningham, school teacher near Fayette city, who has been ill at her home here, is able to be about her home here.

Miss Hattie Lowry of Uniontown, arrived here yesterday to spend a few days the guest of friends.

Frederick Mason of Brownsville arrived here yesterday to spend a few days with his parents. He will leave Saturday along with George Calvin Stewart to go with the No. 5 district boys for Camp Lee to train for duty.

Mr. Mealy of Pittsburgh was a business visitor here.

GAME BIRDS SURVIVE

Quail and Wild Turkeys Seen in the Mountains East.

At least a few of the game birds have survived the rigors of the winter. Bruce Henry of Scullion, on one of his periodic trips to town, to some local hunters of seeing a covey of quail at that place. Pheasants still go thundering through the brush, though whether they are as plentiful as before the long cold season is not known.

There are still some turkeys. Austin B. Kern of Mill Run reports seeing a flock of seven fly over his farm the other day. They were evidently hovering near to civilization on account of the scarcity of feed.

CHILD'S PARTY DRESS OF RIBBON AND LACE.



The judicious use of ribbon and lace makes this a charming party dress for the little lady intent on keeping up with her social obligations. Either voile or crepe de chine may be the material chosen for this frock. There is a tucked lace insertion and a large bow at the back, with smaller bows of the same ribbon on the sleeves.

Sheriff's Sales.

The following described properties will be sold to satisfy the claims of Thomas L. Howard, Sheriff of Fayette Co. Pa. on Saturday, March 2nd, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court House in Uniontown, by virtue of the below stated writ, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pennsylvania:

Brownfield, Goodstein & McDonalds Attorneys. No. 41 March Term, 1918, E. D. William J. Stephens, now for the use of William S. Siskel, vs. Oliver H. Sisley, defendant, and Annie L. Sisley, her co-defendant. Pl. No. 38 Judgment No. 257 September Term, 1917. All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendants in and to:

All that certain lot or tract of land lying and being situated in Perry township, Fayette County and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone on line of the Pittsburgh and Uniontown road; thence by land of Christopher C. Martin North 33 degrees 15 minutes East 450 feet to line of land belonging to the Washington Run Railroad Company; thence by same North 85 degrees 15 minutes West 90 feet to a point; thence South 55 degrees 45 minutes West 177.5 feet to a stone; thence by land of Christopher C. Martin South 54 degrees 15 minutes East 613.4 feet to a point on line of the

New Departures in Sleeping Garments



Sleeping garments are shown in such a variety of designs this season that every lover of fine lingerie may choose among night dresses, pajamas, pantsuits with mandarin collars and combinations that are neither night gowns nor pajamas but a little of both. The two-piece garments are mostly made of crepe-de-chine or wash satin, but night gowns remain fairly faithful to fine cottons. Whether of cotton or silk they are lace trimmed or embellished with fine embroideries. Fresh and pink are the favorite colors for silk sleeping garments with embroidery in the same color and laces in white. Occasionally white satin mandarin coats are bordered with a light color in satin, to be worn with pantsuits to match. In the most elaborate sets the coats are embroidered in gay floral patterns in several light colors.

Among the prettiest and most desirable of new night gowns there are some specimens that are entirely home made. They are of crepe-de-chine or satin with yokes or trimming of home made crochet. Small medallions, much like those that are familiar to us in the Irish crochet laces, are made of colored silk floss, matching the crepe or satin to be used in the night dress in color. The medallions are set in about the neck and along the edge of the short sleeves, which are cut in one with the body and edge of crepe finish the neck and baby ribbon threaded through the banding, provides the means of adjusting the gown to the shoulder.

In the night gown pictured, of Deshpink satin, the crocheted yoke in the same color has bands and figures in pale blue worked into the pattern. If longer sleeves are wanted, elbow length ruffles of satin or plaiting of georgette may be set on to the crocheted bands. This is a very interesting garment for the girl who is making her trousseau.

Julius Bottomley

Pittsburgh and Uniontown road, thence along line of said road North 62 degrees 20 minutes East 29.5 to a point; thence by said road North 51 degrees East 260 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3 acres, more or less. Excepting and reserving, however, thereout and therefrom all the coal in and underlying the said described tract of land. The above described tract is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in line of land now or formerly of Thomas Cassidy and corner of land of James McGeary's heirs, thence by said McGeary land South 23 degrees East 458 feet to a point at side of a Public road, thence by line of said road North 6 degrees and 32 minutes East 104 feet to a point at intersection of a private road with said Public road, thence along said private road South 33 degrees and 43 minutes West 215 feet to a stake, thence by line of land of Gustav S. Miller, formerly owned by Eleanor Sewer, North 23 degrees and 7 minutes West 523.2 feet to a stake in line of land of said Cassidy, and thence by said Cassidy land North 60 degrees East 2.7 feet to the place of beginning. Containing Three and twelve-hundredths (3 12/100) acres. Excepting and reserving, however, all of the coal of the nine foot vein or strata in and underlying the above described piece of land with the same mining rights and privileges that are contained in deed from Florence Sewer to William Boyd, dated April 11th, 1909 and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County, Pa. in Deed Book Vol. 177, page 227.

Upward above described lot of land are erected a frame dwelling house one and one-half story in height with a kitchen one-story also a chicken house eleven and stable.

Being the same premises that William M. Harford conveyed to said Nicola Crotti, being the same person, by deed, dated March 19th, 1917, and recorded in the Recorder's Office in Deed Book Vol. 323, page 94.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, Nicola Crotti, alias Nicola Crotti, at the suit of Irving P. May.

F. P. Rush Attorney. The Scottsdale Savings and Trust Company vs. W. P. Hurst and Fuller Hogsett and same as William Hanblis and Fuller Hogsett.

Pl. No. 34 March Term, 1918, E. D. Sur Judgment No. 317 March Term, 1918.

All that certain parcel or lot of land situated near Mt. Braddock in North Union Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a small hickory tree at the line of a private road, thence North forty degrees West two hundred sixty four feet and five tenths feet to a point on the line of said private road, thence by said private road North fifty degrees East three hundred twenty nine feet to the place of beginning, containing two acres, eight tenths, being the same land conveyed to Samuel Nicklow, by deed of Daniel Jones and wife, dated Oct. 9, 1899 and recorded in Deed Book Vol. 185 at page 277, and being the same lot of land which the said Samuel W. Nicklow conveyed to the said Lydia J. Nicklow by deed dated March 12, 1909, and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County, Pennsylvania in Deed Book 378 page 173, and upon which is erected a good frame dwelling house of four rooms.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, Lydia Nicklow, at the suit of Samuel and Heaster N. Woods.

Playford & Phillips Attorneys. Patricia Brothers vs. James Lancaster.

Pl. No. 28 March Term 1918 E. D. Sur Judgment No. 132 March Term, 1918.

All that certain piece or parcel of land being and lying in the Borough of South Brownsville, formerly Bridgeport, County of Fayette, and State of Pennsylvania, more particularly bounded and described as follows: Fronting 65 (65) feet on the east side of Glover Street in said Borough, and running back one hundred fifty (150) feet or more, even width to land owned by said James Lancaster on July 30, 1904, the date when the lot hereby described was deeded to said James Lancaster by A. D. Lockhart, and bounded on the north by land formerly of the said Lockhart, on the south by other land of said A. D. Lockhart, on the east by other land of James Lancaster, as aforesaid, and on the west by Glover Street.

Reserving and excepting the coal underlying said tract of land together with the mining rights as have been heretofore conveyed.

Being the same piece or parcel of land that was conveyed to the said A. D. Lockhart, by deed of A. D. Lockhart, as aforesaid, dated July 30, 1904, and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County in Deed Book Vol. 257, page 31.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, James Lancaster, at the suit of Patricia Brothers.

G. P. Kefover Attorney. Ewing P. May vs. Nicola Crotti, alias Nicola Crotti.

Sur Judgment No. 61 June Term 1917. Pl. No. to No. 32 March Term 1918.

line of the last mentioned lot, in a Southwest direction to an iron pin in the bank, and being a corner of lot here described; thence, in a Southerly direction, bounded and described as follows: Beginning, containing about 90 perches of land. Reserving, however, as an easement to the lot of Jacob B. Gallagher, ever and hereina conveyed the cellar drain from said lot of Jacob B. Gallagher, said drain is not to be used as a privy drain.

The lot of ground above described constituting together the lot known as the "Lindsey Property," and being the same premises conveyed to said Fuller Hogsett, by Ellen W. Lindsey and husband, by Deed Book No. 314, 1902, recorded in Deed Book No. 314, page 312.

THIRD.—Also all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Uniontown, aforesaid bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in line of lands above described, and the East Side of a fifteen foot alley, thence North 12 degrees East 104 feet to a stake, thence North 17 degrees 45 minutes East 6 feet to an alley, thence, by said alley North 12 degrees 15 minutes West 126 feet to the East Side of the fifteen foot alley aforesaid, thence, by said fifteen foot alley South 23 degrees West 69 feet to the place of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Fuller Hogsett by J. V. Thompson, Executor of Jacob B. Gallagher, deceased, by deed dated September 1, 1910, and recorded in Deed Book No. 314, page 307.

Excepting and reserving, however, from the lands above described, the following described parts thereof heretofore conveyed by said Fuller Hogsett to Robert Mathieson and wife, by deed dated Oct. 20, 1911, and recorded in Deed Book No. 314, page 100, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in line of said Hogsett, and East Side of a fifteen foot alley; thence, South 72 1/4 degrees East 101 1/2 feet to a stake, thence, along an 11 1/2 foot alley North 12 degrees West 35 feet to a stake, thence along said alley North 73 degrees East 50 feet to a stone, thence, North 17 degrees 45 minutes East 6 feet to an alley, thence, by said alley North 12 degrees West 126 feet to a stake, and being composed of parts of lots conveyed to said Hogsett by Ellen W. Lindsey and husband, and by Executor of Jacob B. Gallagher, deceased, as above recited.

The premises above described together comprise what is known as the Fuller Hogsett residence property, and there is erected thereon, one large modern Mansard House, Garage and other out-buildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, W. F. Hurst and Fuller Hogsett and same as William Hanblis and Fuller Hogsett, at the suit of the Scottsdale Savings & Trust Company.

Young Trust Company of Connelville, Pa., vs. John George Walker.

In the County of Common Pleas of Fayette County, Pa.

No. — March Term, 1918.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY. At that certain lot or tract of land, situated in the Third Ward of Connelville Borough (now City), Fayette County, Penna., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the East by 5 feet alley, and extending along the said alley, 51 1/2 feet on the North by Murphy Avenue, and extending along said Avenue 56 1/2 feet to land of Lloyd Johnston, on the West by lands of L. J. Johnston and Har- rington, and extending along said lands 107 1/2 feet, being known and designated as Lot No. 15 in Plan of Brown's Addition to the Borough of Connelville, Pa. hereinafter referred to as said lot, being a frame dwelling house and out-buildings.

Being the same premises that were conveyed to the said John George Walker, by deed of Lloyd Johnston and Har- rington, by deed dated October 4th, 1904 and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County, Pa. in Deed Book, Vol. 122, page 10.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, John George Walker, at the suit of the Young Trust Company.

L. B. Brownfield, Ellen Goodstein and E. J. McDonald, Attorneys.

Pl. No. 41 March Term, 1918, E. D.

Dr. L. N. Burchinal vs. Leona Tapp and N. F. Kendall, Executors of the last will and testament of William Windfield Tapp, alias W. Tapp, deceased, and Leona Tapp, individually, with notice to Frank Core, tenant in possession.

Pl. No. 28 September Term, 1917. All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendants in and to:

All that certain tract of land situated and lying in the Borough of West Marion, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, being the Southern Half of Lot No. Seventeen (17) in the original plan of said Borough, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Mechanic Street on the division line of said lot and lot of Dr. L. N. Burchinal, thence along said division line in a Westerly direction line (13) perches to a post on an alley, thence North, Two (2) perches to a post, thence East ten (10) perches to a post on Mechanic Street, thence South Two (2) perches to the place of beginning. Containing one-eighth acre, more or less. Being the Southern half of the same lot of land conveyed to said Dora Stone by Thurgood P. Stewart and Mar- tina A. Stewart, by deed dated October 12th, 1904, and recorded November 15th, 1904 in Deed Book Vol. 171, page 322, thence conveyed by said Dora Stone and A. L. Stone, her husband, to W. W. Tapp by deed dated November 19th, 1904, and recorded June 21st, 1910 in Deed Book Vol. 327, page 61.

There is erected upon the above described lot a two story frame dwelling house.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, at the suit of Dr. L. N. Burchinal.

L. B. Brownfield, Attorney. James A. Walters vs. J. T. Barksdale.

No. 10 March Term, 1918, E. D. Pl. No. 34 March Term, 1918, E. D.

All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendant in and to the following two certain tracts of land, to-wit: One—That certain lot of land situated in the Borough of Fairchance, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, and known as Lot No. 8, in Block 8 on Plan of lots as laid out by the Diamond Improvement Company and recorded in said county in Plan Book 2, page 17, and being the same lot of ground conveyed to Edward G. Kaiser by said Diamond Improvement Company, by deed dated December 6th, 1905, and lot to be recorded.

Second—All that certain other lot of ground situated in Fairchance Borough, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, and known as Lot No. 7, in Block 8, on Plan of lots as laid out by the Diamond Improvement Company and recorded in said county, by deed dated December 6th, 1905, and being the same lot of ground conveyed to Edward G. Kaiser by said Diamond Improvement Company, by deed dated December 6th, 1905, and lot to be recorded.

There is erected upon the above described lot a one story frame building.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant at the suit of James A. Walters.

Mary S. Rosenberger, Executrix of estate of Jacob Rosenberger, deceased, vs. Clarence E. Dunham and Violet Dunham.

No. 40 March Term 1918.

End of the Season is Our Reason

FOR THE

Final Clearance

of All Winter Merchandise

UNPRECEDENTED VALUES

Men's and Ladies' Wearing Apparel

FOR

Saturday, Monday, Tuesday

LADIES!

YOUR UNRESTRICTED CHOICE OF ANY

Coat, Suit or Dress

VALUES UP TO \$20.00

All the Newest Styles and Materials for

\$7.98

WAISTS

\$3.50 Georgette Crepe

Waists at \$1.95

1.50 and 2.00 98c

slightly soiled 39c

HATS

Any Trimmed Hat in stock \$1.00

1.00 Corsets 59c

WHITE SALE

Is Still Going On

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES WILL PREVAIL DURING THE FINAL CLEARANCE.

1.50 and 2.00 Gowns 98c

1.50 Skirts 95c

75c and 1.00 Corset Covers 49c

35c Drawers 55c

50c Drawers and Corset Covers 33c

1.00 White Hose 59c

1.00 Gowns 69c

3.00 Silk Envelope Chemise 1.95

MEN'S SHIRTS

Percales and Madras, all sizes, 14 to 19, 3 for \$2.50.

2.00 Flannel Shirts 1.37

1.00 Winter Caps 59c

2.00 Union Suits 1.37

MEN'S SUITS

Special Reductions Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

All \$15.00 values, all sizes, newest styles and materials \$7.95

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

BAZAR DEPT. STORE

212-N PITTSBURG ST. 216 CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Meritol Eczema Remedy

Is a prescription compounded expressly and only for the relief of skin diseases. It is invaluable for the treatment of eczema in its various forms and is intended to destroy the eczema germs, germs which multiply very rapidly and are scattered over the body. There are several species of eczema germs causing it several diseases known as eczema, ringworm, dandruff, itch, etc. Give this remedy a fair and honest trial and an improvement may be expected with the first application and a continuance of its use according to directions will give you entire satisfaction. Price, trial size 50c, large bottle \$1.00.

LAUGHEEY DRUG COMPANY.

Sur Judgment No. 357 March Term, 1918.

All that certain tract of land situated in Henry Clay Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of Henry Don is heirs, Henry Shepard and others, containing two hundred and eighty (280) feet on the east side of Lot No. 25, and on the west by lot now or formerly of Thomas Brownfield. It being the same lot or tract of land conveyed to A. G. Kall (alias Arpad G. Kall) by Richard A. McClean and wife by deed dated January 8th, 1904 and recorded in the Recorder's Office of Fayette County, in Deed Book Vol. 193, page 20.

Said lot has been erected thereon a two-story frame dwelling and out-buildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of the defendant, Arpad G. Kall, at the suit of Kurnusz George.

Conditions of Sale.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money, or a sufficient amount to pay all costs, if the 10 per cent. is not enough, shall be paid to the Sheriff when the property is struck off. Otherwise the property will be sold again the following Monday at the expense and risk of the person to whom it was struck off, who in case of delinquency in such resale, shall make good the same, the balance of the purchase money must be paid before Wednesday of the first week of March Court 1918, the day of acknowledgment of Sheriff's deed.

THOMAS L. HOWARD, Sheriff.

A BIG INCREASE IN ACCIDENTS ON THE RAILROADS IN 1917

Total on Steam Roads of State 1,300, With a Total of 11,903 Injured.

GRAND TOTAL WAS 12,479

Grade Crossings Claim Many Victims; Others Caught by Discarding Safe-guards; Number of Trespassers Hurt or Killed Slightly Reduced.

The elimination of grade crossings and the use of additional safeguards at railroads have not cut down the number of accidents on the steam railroads or the street railways, as the report of John P. Doloney, chief of the Bureau of Accidents of the Public Service Commission shows.

During the year ending December 31 last 12,479 accidents occurred on the steam railroads of Pennsylvania. There were 1,300 persons killed on the railroads and 11,903 injured, while on the street railways 235 persons were killed and 3,190 injured.

As compared with 1916, the steam railroad figures show an increase of 818 in accidents, of 36 in killed and of 552 in injured. The list of fatalities includes 501 employees, 40 passengers, 534 trespassers and 179 travelers over grade crossings.

At the grade crossings in 1917, 609 accidents occurred, or 154 more than during the previous year. While the statistics show there was a decrease of 16 in the number killed at these crossings, there was an increase of 120 in the number injured.

There were 320 automobiles, 159 wagons and 130 pedestrians struck, with the result that 72 of the occupants of the automobiles were killed and 303 injured; 20 occupants of wagons were killed and 190 injured, and 77 pedestrians were killed and 56 injured.

Thirty-nine per cent of the grade-crossing accidents occurred at crossings which have some form of protection. In the matter of pedestrians struck at crossings protected by gates, 51 per cent of the killed and injured crawled under the gates. The percentage of those who disregarded the safeguards is the highest known.

There was an increase of 108 in the number of employees killed and of 204 in the number injured on the steam railroads. In the number of trespassers killed and injured there was a decrease of 88 and 121, respectively, yet this element furnished 41 per cent of the total railroad fatalities.

On the street railways there were 2,604 accidents, an increase of 24. The fatalities included eleven employees and 43 passengers, a decrease of four and an increase of eight respectively.

SPEED SHIPBUILDING WILL HELP COAL SUPPLY, SAYS DOCTOR GARFIELD

Ships Needed to Carry Freight Away From Seaboard Terminals and Re-serve the Railroads.

Urging speed in ship building as a means of helping the coal situation Fuel Administrator Garfield has issued the following statement:

"Ships can not move without coal, neither can coal move without ships. We must have ships to carry freight away from the seaboard terminals or coal will be tangled up again as it was three weeks ago—tangled up with outboard freight and unable to reach the ships waiting for fuel to enable them to carry out cargoes from the congested tracks.

"With plenty of ships to keep the terminals clear we shall be able to move coal to the places where it is most needed and we shall have coal enough to move. In fact, the faster we move it the faster we can produce it, for the mines lead directly from tipple to car and when there are no cars their output, for bituminous coal can not be stored at the mines. Every man, woman, and child in the United States has had at least a touch of war hardship through the interruption of the coal supply.

"We all know now that more hardship will recur unless we remedy the fundamental conditions. That means that we are all interested in building ships. Do everything you can to speed shipbuilding for your own comfort, for your own safety, for the honor of the United States, to enable this country to bear its share of the burden of the war."

Pittstown.

PRITTSVILLE, Feb. 22.—Mrs. W. F. Overly of Greensburg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kough a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pritts and family of Uniontown were here over Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Nancy Pritts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones and son of Connelville, O. C. Jarrett and Miss Mamie Jones of Scottsdale were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. Mary L. Jones of Cherry Lane Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wright and son were in Mount Pleasant Sunday with the family of their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Washbaugh and other relatives.

Harvey Younkin of Connelville is here this week with friends.

Painter Crossland of Murphy St. was here Monday on business.

Miss Hattie Freed spent Sunday in Vanderbilt with the family of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Goes.

Charlotte Milligan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Milligan, was admitted to the Mount Pleasant hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Margaret and Wilfred French spent Tuesday in Scottsdale with friends.

DAINTY FROCK THAT HAS POCKETS LIKE CUPS.



Pockets that look a great deal like cups are the feature of this unusually simple dress of tan gabardine, with piping of black satin in the collar and cuffs and the facing of the inside of the pockets. The straight buttoned effect down the front makes this frock most dainty and wins the approval of all good dressers.

COKE CAR RATING TO BE BASED ON CAPACITY, NOT NUMBER OF OVENS

Railroads Preparing Tariffs to Suit Recommendation of War Committee of the Connelville Operators. Indications, and the progress of events, point very clearly to a change in the car rating system for coke plants. The railroads serving the Connelville region are understood to be engaged in preparing tariffs with a view to changing the rating system in accordance with the recommendation made some weeks ago by the war committee of the coke operators.

This recommendation was that the car rating of coke plants be based on the number of ovens available for service and the actual producing capacity of the mines serving such ovens, instead of on the number of ovens actually, or nominally, in blast, as has long been the rule.

Acting upon this suggestion the railroads have taken the initial steps which will be followed by filing the new tariffs with the Interstate Commerce Commission. If approved by that body the tariffs will probably be made immediately effective, in which case a comparatively short time should elapse until the old order of car distribution will be done away with.

The defects of the present system, which have long been recognized, have become all the more noticeable since the stress of the past year has created wholly new conditions in the region. These defects were very clearly pointed out by an experienced operator in The Courier some weeks ago and without exception the trade agrees with him that the new system "is simply applying common sense to the business of distributing cars."

CREAM FOR CATARRH OPENS UP NOSTRILS.

Tells How to Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little cream in this nostril, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—Relief comes so quickly—adv.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 21.—Word was received here last evening of the arrival of a new 10 pound baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Riser at Dunbar Furnace. Mr. Riser was a former resident of this place and is now employed as an engineer by the Dunbar Furnace company.

Mrs. W. J. McCormick, Mrs. C. B. Harper, Mrs. Harry Snyder and Mrs. H. L. Addis were shopping and calling on Connelville friends yesterday.

Miss Amanda Beatty and son are spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fritz at McKeesport.

George Whiskey, H. C. Cable and James Beatty were transacting business at Uniontown Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Edwards of Dawson were shopping in Pittsburg Wednesday.

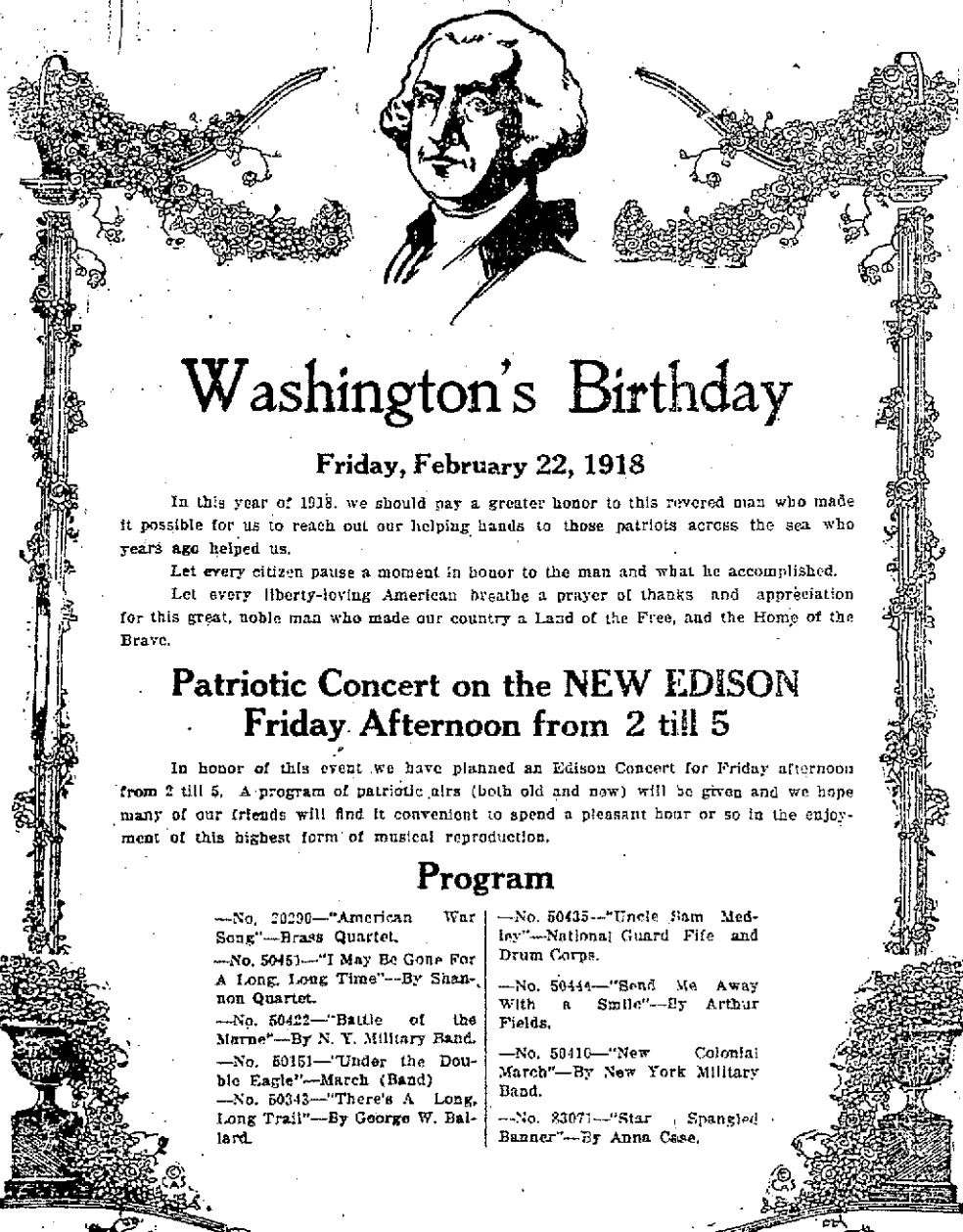
T. M. Blackson has returned to his home at Merber county after spending a week here visiting relatives and friends.

A. C. Kaffer, A. C. Sherrard, W. A. Cosgrove and William Harbaugh were Connelville business callers yesterday.

When You Want Anything Advertise in our Classified Column.

Buy in Connelville

WRIGHT-METZLER CO.



Washington's Birthday

Friday, February 22, 1918

In this year of 1918, we should pay a greater honor to this revered man who made it possible for us to reach out our helping hands to those patriots across the sea who years ago helped us.

Let every citizen pause a moment in honor to the man and what he accomplished. Let every liberty-loving American breathe a prayer of thanks and appreciation for this great, noble man who made our country a Land of the Free, and the Home of the Brave.

Patriotic Concert on the NEW EDISON Friday Afternoon from 2 till 5

In honor of this event we have planned an Edison Concert for Friday afternoon from 2 till 5. A program of patriotic airs (both old and new) will be given and we hope many of our friends will find it convenient to spend a pleasant hour or so in the enjoyment of this highest form of musical reproduction.

Program

- No. 20290—"American War Song"—Brass Quartet.
- No. 5045—"I May Be Gone For A Long, Long Time"—By Shannon Quartet.
- No. 5042—"Battle of the Marne"—By N. Y. Military Band.
- No. 5015—"Under the Double Eagle"—March (Band).
- No. 5034—"There's A Long, Long Trail"—By George W. Ballard.
- No. 50435—"Uncle Sam Medley"—National Guard Pipe and Drum Corps.
- No. 5044—"Send Me Away With a Smile"—By Arthur Fields.
- No. 50410—"New Colonial March"—By New York Military Band.
- No. 50371—"Star Spangled Banner"—By Anna Case.

New Curtain Materials and New Overdraperies for Spring 1918

—36 inch and 38 inch Fancy Marquises, some with borders and some without. In bars, blocks, stripes, lace effects and figures. Prices are 45c, 50c to 65c a yard.

—36, 40 and 45 inch Plain Marquises in Ivory and cream at 25c to 50c a yard.

—36 and 40 inch Bordered Marquises, to sell at 25c to 50c a yard.

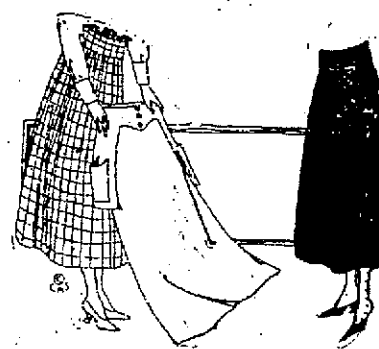
—36 inch White Scrims, bordered and with plain or barred centers, special at 20c a yard.

—36 and 40 inch Cream Color Scotch Madras at 35c to 50c a yard.

—40 inch Scotch Madras with colored floral designs at 50c the yard.

—Narrow lace edgings, almost any kind you need, at 3c to 25c a yard.

First Showing New Spring Skirts Silk and Wool—\$5.95 to \$19.75



—In serge, poplin and other suitable woolen materials are smart new models in navy, grey, tan, copen, brown and black. Fancy plaids and stripes predominate.

The price range is \$5.95 to \$19.75.

—The charming new silk models in silk poplin and taffeta come in plain black, navy and Roman stripes. A pretty collection.

The price range is \$6.50 to \$15.00.

Women's Spring Frocks in the New Modes for Street and Afternoon Wear

These are the very dresses women want for choosing now, to start the season aright.

As they are presented here in all the freshness and beauty of new displays, they show the dominant style features.

Details!

Materials are taffeta, crepe-de-chine, foulards, serge, georgette, stripe taffeta, and delightful combinations of serge-with-silk and silk-with-silk.

Shown in navy, grey, taupe brown, infantry blue, white, green, rose and black.

Coat effects, tunic effects, tiered effects, and some with pretty overdrapes.

Prices are \$13.50 to \$49.75.

One Extra Special Lot Ladies' and Misses' DRESSES Values to \$17.50 Your Choice For \$14.95



OVER 80 YEARS BUT IS RUGGED

Mrs. Robbins Looks and Talks Like Woman 20 Years Younger.

Mrs. Isaac Robbins, of River St., Carbondale, Pa., woman over 80 years old, said recently:

"I suffered dreadfully with rheumatism. Last winter I had a very severe case of grip which simply aggravated my rheumatism. My hands and arms were swollen terribly and they were, oh! so sore, I never thought I would be any better.

"I read about the good that Tanlac had been doing for others and I got a bottle.

"Tanlac has removed every bit of pain and I do not have a bit of rheumatism now. My appetite is good and since the pain stopped I sleep like a child. The swelling has gone too. My arms are now like they should be and I feel as young as ever I did.

"I recommend Tanlac because it did me so much good that, perhaps, it will help others like it did me. I am willing to talk with any poor sufferer that cares to know more about it before trying it. I think it wonderful."

The famous Tanlac is now sold here by The Connelville Drug Co.

Tanlac can also be secured in Dunbar at D. C. Eason's Drug Store.—adv.

Advertise your wants in The Daily Courier.

West Side Department Store

"The Neighborhood Store."

Smutz Building, West Crawford Ave. at Sixth St., Connelville.

Our Opening Day Sale last Saturday was a great success, and we take this means of thanking the large number who came, and who bought so generously. We invite you to "Come Again."

We want you all to know that your money will go farther here, and buy more than anywhere else. Our expenses are small, and we are satisfied with a small profit.

The West Side Department Store is a neighborhood store, and we want you to make it your store, where you can buy what you want, small or large, for any member of the family, and where you are safe in sending your children to shop if you can't come yourself.

While we aim to give you good value at all times, it is our intention each end of the week, to give you extra value on a few articles. These Specials we will make as interesting to you as we possibly can. Watch for these specials each week. They will save you money.

Special No. 1

In Men's and Young Men's Suits, the newest styles for this season, in dark blue and black serges, also mixtures. Special for Friday and Saturday, up to \$25.00 values for

\$18.00 only

Special No. 2

Early Spring models in Ladies' Suits, in tailored and dressy suits, in the newest creations of this season's wear, and all the latest shades. Special for Friday and Saturday

\$18.00 only

Special No. 3

The Spring notes in Ladies' Coats will be shown in all the new Spring shades—black, navy and all high colors. Special for Friday and Saturday

\$15.00 only

THESE SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

FLINT'S MOVING

HAULING AND STORAGE. Motor Truck Service To All Parts of Region. COAL FOR SALE BOTH PRONES.

ECKMAN'S Calcerbs

FOR WEAK LUNGS or throat troubles that threaten to become chronic, this Calcerbs compound will be found effective. The hardest form yet devised. Free from harmful or habit-forming drugs. Try them today.

50 cents a box, including war tax For sale by all druggists Eckman Laboratories, Philadelphia

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